THE WEATHER
Temperatures till noon: Maximum 54, at 1 a. m.; minimum 49, at 10 a. m. Average 51.5.
Sun rises 5:50 a. m., sets 7:36 p. m.
Moon sets 5:04 a. m.
High tide 11:07 a. m., 11:21 p. m.
Fair and cooler tonight, Thursday fair, moderate west winds.
Light all vehicles at 8:06 p. m.

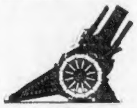
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NEW HUN SMASH TOWARD AMIENS

GERMANS BEGIN 3D DRIVE

SOLDIERS' BALL GAME SUNDAY

Big Contest, First Under New State Law, Free to All; Camp Devens Boys to Play

The first officially recognized Sunday baseball game ever played in Massachusetts will open promptly at 3 p. m. next Sunday at Braves Field, when a team from Camp Devens will play another service team, to be announced, in the interest of the Boston AMERICAN'S Camp Devens Baseball Fund.

This game is to be the opening game of a long series of such entertainments for men in the service, made possible under the new law which has just passed the Legislature permitting men in the service of the country to play ball on Sundays.

Braves Field has generously been offered without expense for the occasion by Business Manager Walter E. Hapgood of the Boston Nationals.

GATES OPEN TO ALL.

No admission will be charged to this game. All seats are to be free

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SALTONSTALL MUST PAY ANDERSONS $3,750

Elbridge R. Anderson, a Boston attorney, and his wife were today awarded verdicts of $2,750 and $1,000 respectively in suits which they brought in the Salem court against John L. Saltonstall of Beverly.

A sealed verdict brought in by a jury in the Superior Court awarded the couple these amounts for injuries which were received when their automobile was struck by a machine owned by Mr. Salstonstall.

NEW YORK WILL BE HOST TO "PARASITES"

New York, April 24.—"Parasites from Philadelphia are flocking to New York in great numbers," District Attorney Swann said, and he added: "We will be ready for them. 'Jim Smith is in charge of the vice crusade and will make it hot for them. We will be awaiting them and will afford them the hospitality of the city. They will be entertained on Blackwell's Island. New York city will not be a dumping ground for any other place.

PRESIDENT'S HAND STILL USELESS FROM BURNS



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President Wilson and Mrs. Wilson leaving St. Matthew's Church, Washington, after the funeral services for the late Ambassador from Chili. The picture shows the President's bandaged hand, the result of bad burns he received when he grasped a hot exhaust pipe while riding in the British tank Britannia.

FEW GERMAN WOMEN IN EXODUS FROM CAPITAL

Washington, April 24.—Under the President's order directing that German women over fourteen years of age, who have arrived in Washington since war was declared leave the city, less than thirty have appeared for registration. The President's order directed that they leave Washington or suffer internment.

Germans Pleased With Burian

Washington, April 24.—Following an audience with Emperor Karl, representatives of the German party in Austria have expressed themselves as pleased with the selection of Baron Burian as foreign minister.

GERMANY'S PRESSURE ON HOLLAND LESSENED

London, April 24.—There is a lessening of tension in the situation involving Germany and Holland, according to the Amsterdam correspondent of the Daily Mail today. Whether this arises from a relaxation of German pressure is not known, but it was authentically stated today that Germany, in the ultimatum which is said to have been handed to the Dutch government at The Hague, demanded the right to transport war materials into Belgium over Dutch railways.

12 STATES PASS LOAN QUOTA

New England Makes Showing of Only 58 Per Cent., With Maine Leading

Twelve States have exceeded their quotas, and also two federal reserve districts, according to word from Washington today. The nation has subscribed $1,700,094,850 to the Liberty Loan.

New England came through in the last twenty-four hours with $17,412,000 in subscriptions to the Liberty Loan, one of the best records of the campaign, but the present figure for total subscriptions, $144,156,000, is not enough to insure even a subscription to the minimum quota. Consequently the efforts of loan workers are being increased throughout the district.

The effects of the improved organization of work in Boston was shown today in another jump in the city's net total, which is now $1[illegible]527,000, a jump of more than $2,000,000 for the day. However, the city is still lagging and the total of subscriptions to date is rather disappointing.

SPRINGFIELD IS "OVER."

Springfield, the largest city to complete its quota for the day, wound up its campaign in a blaze of glory, with a total of $7,121,350 in bonds taken, $420,000 more than its quota. The Springfield committee, however, is working for even more, and says that Springfield has not finished subscriptions by a large amount.

Much hope is placed in the Liberty Day celebration Friday, which it is expected, will boom subscriptions.

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BAKER TELLS SENATE OF WAR CONDITIONS

Washington, April 24.—Secretary of War Baker, during a brief secret session with the Senate Military Affairs Committee, today again failed to disclose any new program of the administration to increase the army. He devoted the entire time to describing conditions he observed during his recent trip abroad. There was no discussion of new legislation or pending bills. "I was merely describing the physical situation as I saw it over there," said the Secretary as he emerged from the committee room. "I did not make any recommendations nor did I discuss any new or pending legislation."

6 KILLED IN ACTION IN FRANCE

Charles B. Knutsen of Gloucester Among Three U. S. Soldiers Dead From Wounds

By International News Service.

Washington, April 24.—A casualty list carrying forty-three names was announced by the War Department today. Six men were killed in action, three died of wounds, and eleven succumbed to disease. Ten were severely wounded and thirteen slightly wounded. The list follows:

KILLED IN ACTION.

Sergeants Joshua E. Broadhead, Orville G. Fuller, Corporal Frank P. Gordon, Privates Charles W. Foote, Felix M. Oliva, Roger Wilson.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Corporal Frank D. Brooks, Wagoner John C. Burwell, Private Charles H. Knutsen, Gloucester.

DIED OF DISEASE.

Sergeant James A. Mulligan, pneumonia; Privates Giuseppe Baldi, mumps; Clarence Barger, pneumonia; Leroy Conn, tuberculosis; Donald H. Munn, edema of lungs; Benjamin Newell, pneumonia; Ora Newton Tidd, pneumonia; John N. Tweten, septicemia; Winifred R. Vaux, pneumonia; Karl Wagner, pneumonia; John Hodges Weston, septicemia.

SEVERELY WOUNDED.

Corp. Vinal H. [illegible]; Privates Steve Adams, Hormidas Desrochers, John W. Gosminski, William E. Loper, Edward H. Moushad, Thomas Morrison, Louis H. Pantner, Gaffard Stillings, Carl L. Whitham.

SLIGHTLY WOUNDED.

Lieut. Renville Wheat, Battalion Sergeant-Major Joseph E. Houseworth, Jr., Sergt. Charles W. Cockrell, Corp. Arthur D. Mulhead, Buglers Frederick D. Hurrell, Earl H. Ramage, Privates Walter E. Cheever, Raymond E. Crowell, John Crowely, William J. Graham, Isaac Guernsey, Antony Kowalczyk, John R. Stoddard.

TODAY'S BANK STATEMENT.

Boston bank clearings, $43,632,394.

Boston Sub-Treasury credit, $485,877.

New York bank clearings, $502,016,985.

New York Sub-Treasury debit, $2,273,140.

American Losses Up to Date

	Previously Reported	Reported April 24	Total
Killed in action	290	8	298
Killed or prisoner	1	0	1
Killed by accident	194	0	194
Died of disease	924	11	935
Lost at sea	237	0	237
Died of wounds	104	3	107
Civilians	7	0	7
Gas attack, suicide, executed, unknown cause	48	0	48
Total dead	1,863	20	1,883
Wounded	2,048	23	2,071
Captured	43	0	43
Missing	44	0	44
Total wounded, captured or missing	2,135	23	2,158
Grand total	3,998	43	4,041

MILLIONS FOR BIGGER NAVY YARD

As a result of Secretary of the Navy Daniels' recent visit to Boston it is probable that the Charlestown Navy Yard will be improved and enlarged into the greatest ship repair plant on the Atlantic coast, with a capacity for docking three of the largest dreadnoughts in the navy.

The cost of the proposed improvements is estimated at $[illegible] and an appropriation of that amount will be inserted in the general appropriation bill now before the Senate if the influence of the Navy Department can effect it.

The news of this gigantic improvement in the navy's resources was made public today by the committee on maritime affairs of the Boston [illegible]

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MUST PAY $1,842 SUGAR PROFIT TO RED CROSS

Washington, April 24.—Joseph Beller, wholesale sugar dealer, Brooklyn, N. Y., guilty of charging $11 per hundred pounds, the food administration ruled today, may continue business upon making a donation of $1,842 to the American Red Cross. This sum is estimated as the amount overcharged on sales the dealer made. The action was taken partly because the violations occurred shortly after sugar regulations became effective.

HOWARD SWORN IN AS U. S. COURT CLERK

John V. Howard was sworn in today by Assistant Clerk Mason of the United States District Court as assistant United States attorney. Mr. Howard's appointment was made in order that United States Attorney Todd Dewey might have sufficient help in his office.

BIG GUNS SHELL PICARDY LINES

The Huns have started their expected third drive in France. Their first was the Picardy drive, which headed for Amiens, the great British base on the railway lines running from Paris up to the Channel coast. The second was the general attack in Flanders and French Flanders, a direct smash for the British coastal bases. The third drive now on reaches for Amiens again. Renewal of German attack in this direction was indicated by the official report issued by the British War Office today.

The report told of increasing artillery activity on both the Picardy and Flanders battle fronts and said that strong hostile attacks were developing in the Albert sector (between 17 and 18 miles northeast of Amiens) and between the Somme and Avre rivers.

By International News Service.

London, April 24.—Increasing artillery activity marked the night's operations on the Flanders and Picardy battle lines, according to the official report of the War Office today.

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GERMAN GUNS BUSY.

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TWO AMERICAN AVIATORS BURNED TO DEATH IN AIR

Wichita Falls, Tex., April 24—Two aviators, an instructor and a cadet, were burned to death at an army flying field here today when the plane in which they were riding exploded in midair.

SENATOR KING HALTS TURKISH WAR DEMAND

Washington, April 24.—Following a conference with President Wilson, Senator King of Utah announced he would not press his resolution declaring war on Turkey.

SUBSCRIBED—IN 15 DAYS
$1,700,094,850

NEEDED—IN 10 DAYS
$1,299,905,150

GET THE HUN ON THE RUN---BUY A BOND!

INTENSE BOMBARDMENT HERALDS NEW DRIVE BY THE GERMANS

INFANTRY ATTACKS CHECKED

British and French Hold Lines Solidly Along the Front

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lines has been kept under heavy artillery fire.

BOMBARDMENT IN PICARDY.

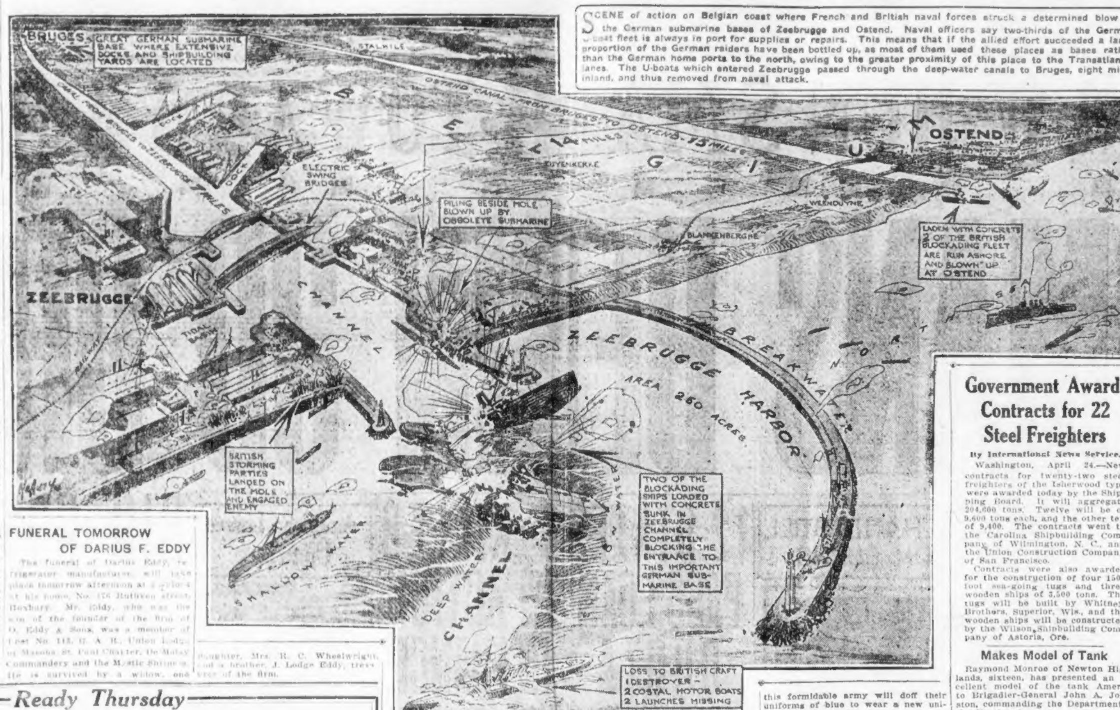
"Strong infantry attacks were reported to be developing in the Albert sector and between the Somme and the Avre Rivers.

"Heavy hostile shelling was reported early this morning between Givenchy and Robecq.

"Concentrations of hostile troops near Merville were dispersed by our fire."

Violent bombardment of the Franco-British positions on the Picardy battle front was reported by the French War Office today.

The heaviest shelling was between the Somme and Avre rivers, east of Amiens and in the district around Hangard-en-Santerre and Villers-Bretonneux at the tip of the German salient.



SCENE of action on Belgian coast where French and British naval forces struck a determined blow at the German submarine bases of Zeebrugge and Ostend. Naval officers say two-thirds of the German U-boat fleet is always in port for supplies or repairs. This means that if the allied effort succeeded a large proportion of the German raiders have been bottled up, as most of them used these places as bases rather than the German home ports to the north, owing to the greater proximity of this place to the Transatlantic lanes. The U-boats which entered Zeebrugge passed through the deep-water canals to Bruges, eight miles inland, and thus removed from naval attack.

HUN DEFENCES AT ZEEBRUGGE SMASHED

By International News Service.

London, April 24.—Submarine operations by the Germans will be hampered for some time as a result of the successful raids carried out against Zeebrugge and Ostend, according to information received today from Amsterdam.

Complete official reports have not yet been received, but it is believed that the sinking of ships laden with concrete off the harbors of both bases will impede the passage of U-boats and make it necessary for the Germans to do much dredging before they can carry on their underwater operations with their old-time freedom.

DOCK GATE BLOWN UP.

Zeebrugge is the larger and the more important of the two bases and has been attacked many times by British and French air planes.

It is reported that two destroyers got inside of the Mole and blew up the gate of the Bruges canal dock which the Germans had been using for submarine purposes.

This is regarded as one of the most remarkable feats of the war, as the ships had to come under the fire of German shore batteries at close range in addition to avoiding extensive mine fields.

When the lock of the canal was destroyed, ships broke away from their moorings and a number of craft were carried out to sea. The protecting ships that convoyed the "block fleet" did much damage to the German defensive positions among the sand dunes, and it is reported that many shore batteries were wiped out completely.

USED SMOKE SCREENS.

This was the biggest offensive that the British fleet has made since the battle of Jutland.

The British carried out their enterprise very cleverly, using fog and smoke screens to hide their movements. The ships were almost inside of the harbors before they were detected.

Two of the out of date cruisers that were sunk went down exactly in the middle of the passage through which the Bruges canal enters the sea. This will be a severe handicap for the Germans for they have been in the habit of running their submarines up the canal for overhauling after operations at sea.

Government Awards Contracts for 22 Steel Freighters

By International News Service.

Washington, April 24.—New contracts for twenty-two steel freighters of the Isherwood type were awarded today by the Shipping Board. It will aggregate 204,600 tons. Twelve will be of 9,600 tons each, and the other ten of 9,400. The contracts went to the Carolina Shipbuilding Company of Wilmington, N. C., and the Union Construction Company of San Francisco.

Contracts were also awarded for the construction of four 150-foot sea-going tugs and three wooden ships of 3,500 tons. The tugs will be built by Whitney Brothers, Superior, Wis., and the wooden ships will be constructed by the Wilson Shipbuilding Company of Astoria, Ore.

Makes Model of Tank

Raymond Monroe of Newton Highlands, sixteen, has presented an excellent model of the tank America to Brigadier-General John A. Johnston, commanding the Department of the Northeast.

WILSON EXPECTS HELP FROM CHILD GARDENERS

New York, April 24.—Mrs. Henry Parsons, chairman of the committees on adults' and children's war gardens of the Mayor's committee of women on national defence, wrote to President Wilson recently outlining plans that would tend to encourage children and adults alike to take up gardening. Mrs. Parsons has received an autograph photograph of the President, on the back of which he had written: "I hope that every child in working the gardens will feel they are serving the country we all love and wish to serve."

FUNERAL TOMORROW OF DARIUS F. EDDY

The funeral of Darius Eddy, refrigerator manufacturer, will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at his home, No. 176 Ruthven street, Roxbury. Mr. Eddy, who was the son of the founder of the firm of O. Eddy & Sons, was a member of Post No. 113, G. A. R., Union Lodge of Masons, St. Paul Chapter, De Molay Commandery and the Mystic Shriners. He is survived by a widow, one daughter, Mrs. R. C. Wheelwright, and a brother, J. Lodge Eddy, treasurer of the firm.

Ready Thursday

Automatic Plan: Everything here must sell quickly at its first price or be reduced 25% after 12 selling days, 50% after 18 selling days, 75% after 24 selling days. Goods given away after 30 selling days.

Filene's Automatic Bargain BASEMENT

Any mystery about it? No!

The Basement pays for goods 48 hours after delivery. The quicker we get the money back, the quicker we can invest it again in other goods to sell. The more we turn our money over the smaller we can make profits. To get the money back quickly we must sell the goods to you quickly, and the best possible value at the lowest possible price will always make you buy quickly.

Do you see the "why" of Filene's Basement Automatic Plan?





$12.75 $9.50 $8.95

Silk dresses

Good silks, nicely made up in smart styles. And just look at the prices!

(Sizes for women and misses)

Striped and plain satin and plain taffeta dresses, some with Georgette sleeves and collars, in side ruffle, long tunic and bolero styles. $8.95

Taffeta dresses in a number of styles, including plaited tunics. Some with tinsel and silk embroidery. $9.50

Smart frocks made with vestees, jackets, tunics, some with Georgette sleeves. Ever so many models in crepe de chines and taffetas. $12.75

Light weight cotton taffeta petticoats

Deep flounce with scalloped ruffle; fitted waistbands. Lengths 34, 36, 38. Pink, Copenhagen, lavender and purple. 89c

Straight chemises of fine muslin

Made dainty with good embroidery or lace in many styles. 59c

In addition to the big saving a woman gets wide choice in these serge and poplin suits $14.75





$3.50 $14.75

Smart tailored as well as dressier belted and plaited models, some braid bound. Good wool materials in navy, black and light tones with fancy or peau de cygne linings. Sizes 16 to 40.

Women's double-texture raincoats, $3.50

Big, long, double-texture raincoats in tan. Women's and misses' sizes from 16 to 42.

Hundreds of other bargain lots

PLAN $7,000,000 IMPROVEMENT AT NAVY YARD

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Chamber of Commerce. The committee has had the matter before it for several months and has been endeavoring to overcome the objections of the War Department and certain shipping interests to the encroachments upon the harbor which the plan entails.

DANIELS FAVORS PLAN

It is understood that these objections have been overcome, and that Secretary Daniels is so enthusiastic over the results for the betterment of the navy which have already been reached at Boston that he will support the plan with all his influence.

The matter was presented to Secretary Daniels by Mayor Peters during the Secretary's visit here and the Mayor found him a willing listener.

The plans entail the taking of a tract of land between Water and Chelsea streets at the south end of the yard, but does not mean any water front extension, except the extending of concrete piers into the harbor.

The present piers be extended and three new concrete piers will be built. The present foundry and machine shop will be enlarged to more than double their present size, and a number of new shops will be erected. The recreation field will be taken for the site of a new power house, a new saw mill and a pattern shop. N new mold loft and Shape shop and new boiler, copper and pipe shops will go up on the site of the old building known as Building 40.

NEW MARINE BARRACKS.

It is planned to build a big storehouse, eight stories high, on the site of the present buildings, Nos. 62 and 149, and a new administration building on the site of building No. 31. On the land taken, bounded by Water, Chelsea and Hudson streets, it is proposed to build a new marine barracks with a drill hall and parade ground. Henley street and part of Wapping street will be taken into the new grounds. No opposition to the taking of these streets is expected to develop on the part of the city.

Acting-Governor Calvin Coolidge today telegraphed to Senators Lodge and Weeks relative to the matter. Senator Weeks is absent from Washington, but it is believed that Senator Lodge will move at once to insert in the general appropriation bill an item to cover the cost of the improvements, and, with the support of Secretary Daniels, will find no difficulty in pushing it through.

TO DOUBLE CAPACITY.

The plans call for a tremendous increase in the usefulness of the Charlestown yard during the war. Steamships which are turned over to the navy for transport work will be repaired, altered and outfitted here, while it will fill the same capacity for the new merchant marine. The new improvements will not alone modernize the yard, but will more than double its capacity.

The estimates for the project call for the expenditure of $2,000,000 for the building of extended permanent piers. The sum of $2,350,000 would be expended for the erection of a foundry, machine shops, ship fitter shop and boiler shop; $1,050,000 would be expended for a new power plant, $900,000 for a general storehouse and $50,000 for a new administration building.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for leading Boston stocks to 12 o'clock:

	Yesterday's Close.	High.	Low.	12:00.
Alaska	1½	1⅝	1½	1½
Allouez	50¼	50	50	50
Art. Metal	12½	12½	12½	12½
Am. T. & T.	100⅛	100⅛	99⅞	100
Ariz. Com.	13	13	13	13
Atl. Gulf	110⅞	108	108	108
Boston El.	58	60	58¼	60
Cal.-Ariz.	69	69	69	69
Bingham	9⅝	9⅝	9¾	9¾
Cop. Range	45¾	46	45½	46
East Butte	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼
Isl. Creek	62½	63	63	63
N. E. T. & T.	90	89¼	89¼	89¼
New Haven	29¼	28½	28½	28½
North Butte	14	14½	14½	14½
Swift & Co.	139	138⅞	138	138⅞
Trinity	3½	3½	3½	3½
Un. Fruit	122½	123	122	122
Utah Apex	2⅛	2¼	2¼	2½
Utah Metal	2⅜	2⅜	2¼	2¼
Utah Cons.	10¼	10	10	10
Ventura	6½	6½	6⅜	6⅛

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for leading New York stocks to 12 o'clock:

	Yesterday's close.	High.	Low.	12:00.
Allis-Chalmers	24⅝	25	24⅞	24⅞
Am. Beet Sugar	73½	73¾	73⅛	73¼
Am. Can	43⅞	44⅛	43½	43⅝
Am. Car & Fdy.	78½	78¾	78	78⅝
Am. Locomotive	64¼	65⅛	64⅞	64⅞
Am. Smelting	77¼	77⅞	77	77¼
Am. Steel F'dries	65⅛	65	65	65
Am. Sumatra	95¼	98½	96⅛	98½
Am. Linseed	33	33½	33	33
Am. Woolen	52⅛	52	51¼	51⅝
Am. T. & T.	100	100¼	99¼	99⅞
Anaconda	63⅝	64⅝	64	64
Atch., T. & S. F.	83½	83⅝	83⅝	83⅝
Atlantic Gulf	109	108	107	107
Baldwin Loco	80⅞	81⅞	80⅝	80¾
Balt. & Ohio	51½	51⅞	51⅞	51⅞
Beth. Steel B	79⅝	80⅝	79½	79½
Can. Pacific	138½	138⅛	137⅛	137½
Cent. Leather	65½	66⅝	65¼	66⅜
Chic. & R. I.	19¼	19⅛	19	19
Chile	16⅝	16⅝	16½	16½
Chino	42½	42⅞	42⅝	42⅝
Corn Products	36⅝	37⅛	36⅝	36⅝
Crucible Steel	65⅝	65½	64⅝	65⅛
Cuba Cane Sugar	29⅝	29¼	29⅛	29⅛
Del. & Hudson	105½	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
Dis. Securities	49¼	49⅛	49¼	49⅝
Erie	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
Gen. Elec.	142	141	141	141
Gen. Motors	118⅝	119¼	116¼	117⅝
Goodrich	44	44	44	44
Gt. Northern pf.	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝
Gt. Northern Ore.	29¼	29⅝	29	29⅝
Inspiration	52⅝	54	52⅝	53
Int. Paper	36⅝	37½	36⅝	36⅝
Kennecott	32¼	32½	32	32½
Lack. Steel	79⅝	79½	79½	79½
Lehigh Valley	59⅛	58⅞	58⅞	58⅞
Maxwell	29	25⅝	24½	25½
Mer. Marine	24¼	24	23¾	23⅞
Mer. Marine pf.	88	88	86⅞	87½
Mex. Petrol.	94	94⅞	93½	93⅞
Miami	28½	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝
Midvale Steel	45½	46	45½	45½
Mo. Pac.	21	21¼	21	21
Nat'l Enamel	51	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝
N. Y., N. H. & H.	29⅝	29	29	29
Nor. & Western	104	104	104	104
Ohio Gas	37⅞	37⅝	37⅞	37⅝
Penn. Ry.	44	44	44	44
Pitts. Coal	53	52½	52¼	52½
Pitts. & W. Va.	27¾	27	27	27
Pressed Steel	57⅞	58	57⅞	58
Ry. Steel Spring	55	56	55¼	55½
Ray Cons.	25	25	25	25
Reading	81⅛	82¼	81⅛	80⅝
Rep. I. & Steel	81	81⅝	80⅝	80⅝
Sinclair Oil	27⅞	28	27⅝	27⅝
So. Pacific	82½	82½	82½	82½
So. Railway	20⅞	21	20⅝	21
Studebaker	36¼	36¼	34⅝	34¼
Texas Co.	145⅝	146	145⅝	145⅝
Tobacco Products	54⅞	54⅝	54½	54⅝
United Fruit	122½	122½	122½	122½
Union Pacific	119¼	120	119⅝	119¾
U. S. I. Alc.	125	126	124⅞	124⅞
U. S. Rubber	56½	57⅛	57⅛	57⅛
U. S. Smelt	38	38	38	38
U. S. Steel	94¼	95¼	94½	94⅝
Utah Copper	80	80½	80	80
Va. Ca. Chem.	44½	46	44	45¾
Westinghouse	41⅛	40⅝	40½	40⅝
Willys-Overland	17½	17½	16⅝	17

MESSENGER BOYS TO BE CLAD IN KHAKI UNIFORMS

About 500 messenger boys in Boston and as many more in various other sections of New England are going to don the khaki. Some day next month this formidable army will doff their uniforms of blue to wear a new uniform of olive drab.

Chickering

95th ANNIVERSARY SALE



Complete Player Combination at a Special Price Thursday

TO CELEBRATE the 95th Anniversary of the founding of the House of Chickering—the oldest pianoforte makers in America—we offer choice of several

New Player-Pianos

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RYTHMODIK MUSIC ROLLS

KISSES 'PASSED AROUND' AFTER RECONCILIATION BY THE EATONS

SON EZRA TELLS OF TROUBLES

Spa Owner Told Him He Could Not Live With Second Wife, but They Made Up

By ELIZABETH ELLAM

Ezra S. Eaton, son of Charles S. Eaton, late Thompson's Spa owner, knew his father was not happy with Mrs. Ella F. Bartlett Eaton, the second wife. He knew that he had left the house twice and that the father told him he "did not know what to do."

This and many other incidents Ezra told today in Supreme Court, where Mrs. Eaton is seeking to have an ante-nuptial contract set aside in order to contest the will of the restaurant proprietor.

"Mr. Eaton returned after the second trip, and they made up again. They were pleased and wanted us to be. Kisses were passed around," the son told the court.

The witness also told of disturbances he had with his stepmother when she forbade him to use the limousine without her permission, and when she created a scene because he was going to the Ocean House to see his fiancee.

"She often bought me things—clothes and neckties. She had mighty good taste," he added.

Dr. Frederick C. Shattuck of Marlboro street, connected with Harvard Medical School for thirty-three years as teacher of physical medicine, testified that he had treated Mr. Eaton on several occasions, and that he had recommended him to the care of other physicians.

SEEMED WELL AFTER SEPARATION.

Q.—Will you state the condition of Mr. Eaton as you saw him after the separation. A.—I have no clear recollection, but he seemed pretty well. He came to my office.

Q.—When you saw him again in June, with Dr. Richard Cabot, how did you find him? A.—He was very nervous, his heart was enlarged and he had a double murmur. He had kidney trouble, for which he had consulted Dr. Hugh Cabot.

Q.—Did you think his condition serious? A.—He seemed much less well and his condition was serious.

The physician stated that he later took charge of Mr. Eaton during the Winter that he lived in Bay State road. Mr. Eaton was in the house until March. "He was a very sick man that Winter," he said.

"In the Fall of 1916 he was able to go about and do some business, but he was in a lower plane. His disease had progressed, but he was carrying it better than he had."

Q.—When he returned from Washington, how was he? A.—He was worse. He had steadily "stepped down."

Q.—Will you state the characteristics of Mr. Eaton, as you found him on his return from California? A.—He gave me the impression of being a very competent man, knew his business and did it well. He was sensitive and very nervous. I liked him personally. He seemed square; a nice fellow.

Q.—Did he tell you about his removal to the hospital, and the reason for it? A.—He said the doctor advised it that he might have greater quiet than he had at home.

HYPOTHETICAL QUESTION.

Attorney Sherman L. Whipple then put a lengthy hypothetical question, embodying the California episodes and Mr. Eaton's illness, during the time when Mrs. Eaton was supposed to have entered the room of the sick man, disturbing him, and asked the physician what the results would be. "The result would be bad," was the answer.

Q.—When you saw Mr. Eaton after his return from California, did you see the result of this treatment? A.—I saw results which such conduct might have produced.

Cross-examination by Charles F. Choate:

Q.—When you saw Mr. Eaton, to what did you trace his breakdown? A.—Worry—worry over work. A man may work, but if he worries he breaks down.

Q.—What was the occasion of the serious heart attack in the Fall of 1915? A.—I thought it was worry about a suit. He expected a lawsuit in August and it was postponed.

Q.—You never heard of any altercation about some trees on his lawn, did you? A.—I never did.

Re-direct examination by Mr. Whipple:

Q.—Would worry and conditions such as these I have described in my hypothetical question be considered the sole cause of conditions such as you found in Mr. Eaton? A.—Anything in the way of worry might be.

Mr. Choate again:

Q.—In such a condition as Mr. Eaton's, is one apt to take strange likes and dislikes? A.—At that time I do not think the disease had progressed enough to bring about such conditions.

Q.—To bring about unreasonable dislikes and general unreasonableness? A.—A sick man, or woman, either, is apt to be an unreasonable to me.

THE SON'S STORY.

Ezra S. Eaton, now at Camp Devens in the 301st Field Artillery, 29 years of age, was called.

Q.—Did your father speak to you regarding his second marriage before Mrs. Bartlett came to Marblehead? A.—He said there had been some talk of marriage. That he didn't want to be married, but that there were lots of letters, and he didn't know where he did get off." He showed me her photograph and I thought it looked pretty good. I thought anyone could like her.

Q.—You were present at the wedding? A.—I was.

Q.—Did you ever go to California with your father and Mrs. Eaton? A.—I never went to California at all, with them.

Q.—After you went into the restaurant to work, did you live with your father? A.—Only in the Summer. I cannot recall living there any Winter.

Q.—What were your relations with Mrs. Eaton? A.—They were just ordinary; nothing one way or another.

Q.—Did you have any disturbances with Mrs Eaton? A.—One evening when Mrs. Eaton had guests from California she objected to my going to the Ocean House, where my fiancee was staying. She thought I was discourteous to her guests. I believed she should have invited the girl to the house to dinner.

Q.—Any other instances? A.—Another time I wore a sailor blouse at breakfast and she said it was very disrespectful to her. I left the table. On a third occasion I took the limousine to go over to the Ocean House. Mrs Eaton told me I was never to use her car again without asking her first

BROUGHT HOME THINGS

Q.—Did she ever make any remarks about your fiancee? A.—Only indirectly. In talking of two girl friends she knew she said: "They've been brought up right. They have manners."

Q.—Did she ever do anything for you? A.—Many times. She bought many things—clothes, neckties and such things.

Q.—What about her taste? A.—Mighty good. I'd like to have her buy some more for me.

Q.—Had you any feeling against her before you went to California? A.—Only that I knew he wasn't happy with her. Before he went to California he had left the house two times. When he returned he tried to pass it off and not say anything about it. **After the second time he came into the Spa and I had never seen him like that. His coat was wrinkled, his hair was dishevelled and he was unshaven. He said he could not live with her; that he was going away and that he did not know what he would do. We begged him not to go, my brother Malcolm and myself. We were going to be married and we didn't want any scandal in the family.**

Q.—Did you ever talk to Mrs. Eaton regarding the trouble? A.—On the occasion when she came back to Marblehead alone. She said they had been talking about us boys, and that he got very excited and nervous and got out of the car.

Q.—What did you do? A.—I talked to my father over the phone and tried to get him to come back. Mrs. Eaton later came into the Spa, into the office where Mr. Eaton, Malcolm and I were. We were asked to go out by my father. Then we were called in and my father said they were going to try to go on again, that they were pleased and wanted us to be.

PASSED KISSES AROUND.

Q.—What do you mean by wanting you to be pleased. A.—Well, we passed kisses around.

Q.—Up to the time he went to California did you know anything of a will or an ante-nuptial agreement? A.—Never.

Q.—When did your father first talk about your going into business? A.—Many years ago, when my own mother was living. He said he had hoped that his boys would take up the business, but that he didn't want to force us if we had any other inclination.

Q.—After that, when was it mentioned again? A.—I don't know. It seemed to be generally understood that I was to go into business with him after I graduated.

Q.—Did your father ever tell you how much he drew from the business? A.—He never did.

Q.—Did you ever receive letters and telegrams from your father, written by Mrs. Eaton? A.—There were letters.

Letters from the father were then read. One of them, written to Ezra, related to Charles' allowance. "If he spends any money for tutoring, let me know. I don't want him to neglect his studies and then have tutors and charge the bill to me."

ONLY ON A TANTRUM.

Another letter, this time from Mrs. Eaton said:

"Tell the kid to keep up, and for Heaven's sake, don't spend any money in tutoring, if he values his peace of mind, or his father's, or mine, for that matter."

More letters read from Mrs. Eaton told of Mr. Eaton's condition. "It seems some days as if nothing under God's heavens can help him, but himself. The doctor today said, 'He's only in a tantrum;' so let him tant," were some of the comments that were made.

Q.—Did you know that reports were going out each day from the store? A.—I knew that there was a letter going every day.

One letter from Mrs. Eaton stated: "We're going to have another doctor. They all say the same thing, that there is nothing serious; all he needs is rest." There was reference then to a nurse. "She went out and left every door and window closed when I was out, and did not give him his bath, or malted milk or anything. I'm going to get someone with some sense in her head."

"It is mostly disordered nerves" was the comment made in almost every letter.

A letter of February 24, stated, "We are now on the fifth doctor, and we may get somewhere in time. I have decided to begin again on another, a very bright young man from Los Angeles. Dr. Fulton told him he would challenge him to a game of golf very soon."

On Feb. 25, a letter said: "Don't be doing anything like packing up and coming out here, as you suggest, without letting anyone know anything about it. You would defeat just the thing we want to do; for her would think you were sent for. So do help me out and keep cool. I would be the first to send for you if there was any need, but it would just raise the deuce."

TALKED WITH CHAUFFEUR.

A telegram from Ezra Eaton asked perission to come to see his father. Thereply to this telegram was one from Mrs. Eaton, informing the son that canditions were such that he mighe come, and asking for a wire as to when they might expect him.

Q.—Had you ever had any conversation with Thayer regarding your father's martial difficulties? A.—He told me about the Wallingford incident, and about the chamois skins.

Q.—Did you ever ask to be informed of conditions by Thayer? A.—No. I did not.

Q.—On your way to California did you receive a telegram from Thayer? A.—Yes.

Q.—When you arrived in California, who met you? A.—Mrs. Eaton and Thayer with the car.

Q.—What did Thayer say? A.—That my father was at the hospital and that he wanted me to come there, I said, "All right, we'll go to the hospital."

Q.—What had Mrs. Eaton said? A.—That I was to go to the house, by the doctor's orders, and not see my father until night.

Q.—How soon did you see your father? A.—As soon as I arrived.

Q.—How soon did you learn of what made your father go to the hospital? A.—I got a brief outline from my father. He said that he could not get along with Mrs. Eaton, that she nagged and nagged him and would not let him rest.

Q.—What was your father's appearance? A.—I never saw him look worse up to that time.

Q.—Did your father tell you what he wanted you to do with reference to Mrs. Eaton? A.—He did not want me to go to the house, but to stop at the Hotel Alexandra, and that he wanted me to be just as nice to her as I knew how. He gave me explicit directions not to talk about the affair to any one.

Q.—Did you go driving with her? A.—I went driving with her on condition that she would not talk about the trouble with my father to me.

Q.—And did she A.—All the time; I remember one day she talked a half hour, saying things that I knew were not so. At last I said: **"Look at my hands, they're all wet, trying to keep in. If you talk to my father as you talk to me, I don't blame him for anything he's done."**

SPECIAL NOTICE.

BELL-ANS FOR INDIGESTION 25 CENTS

6 BELL-ANS Hot water Sure Relief

BELL-ANS FOR INDIGESTION

STRIKING SCRUBWOMEN MEET ON COMMON AND THEN MARCH TO STATE HOUSE





Snapshot of women who keep floors of the State House clean, who are striking for an increase of five cents an hour. This picture was taken at the Capitol just as they were taking their cause to Henry B. Endicott of the Public Safety Committee. The large picture is Mrs. Mary Carroll, who has three sons fighting in France

State House scrubwomen went "over the top" today when they marched up Beacon Hill and into the Capitol in their drive for a wage increase of five cents an hour.

The women held an indignation meeting on the historic Common, the scene of many similar meetings in the past, and then went to the State House.

They declared that unless the increase which they say is just was given them they would take their troubles to Governor McCall.

TAKE CASE TO ENDICOTT.

The women were given a hearing by Henry B. Endicott and other members of the Public Safety Committee at the State House. Mr. Endicott was told that despite the increased cost of living there has been no raise in pay granted the scrubwomen since 1911, when they were raised to 25 cents an hour. They work but a comparatively few hours each day, and as a result their weekly stipend is about $6.

The women, many of whom are passing middle age, told Mr. Endicott that they have been scrubbing the State House floors for twenty-five cents, while in the downtown office buildings the recognized scale is thirty cents. This brings the week's wages up to about $10 per week.

Bills for an increase of wages for the scrubwomen have been killed in the Legislature year after year, including this year.

Three weeks ago sixty women went to Sergeant-at-Arms Thomas F. Pedrick and asked that an increase might be granted them. They were informed that there was no appropriation made for such an increase.

Yesterday all the women worked as usual. When they finished they declared that that was the last time the building would be cleaned at the old wage. They then got together and called a strike to go into effect immediately.

HAVE SONS IN TRENCHES.

Some of these women have been cleaning the State House for the last twenty-five years and are shortly eligible for a pension. Therefore there were eleven who reported for work today as usual. But in spirit they are, they say, with the forty-seven who went on strike.

Many of these women have sons in the trenches in France.

Mrs. Mary Carroll of Cambridge has three sons who are with the American forces now in France, and another son who is leaving for Camp Devens this week. Her daughter's husband is fighting overseas.

Mrs. Margaret McIntire of East Boston has two sons who are fighting in France.

While the women were in conference with the Public Safety Committee, Mary Sullivan of Charlestown and Nora Smith of East Boston, having finished their work in an adjoining room, entered the committee room. As soon as they were discovered three cheers were given by their striking companions. They took seats in the front row and were happy until they discovered the photographers making ready for a picture. They would have promptly left had it not been for the urgent invitation of Mr. Endicott. Mary Sullivan has been on the job for twenty-three years and Nora Smith for fifteen.

French Shell Kills Entire Crew of Hun Super-Gun

London, April 24.—Reports received from Paris this afternoon states that a well directed shell from one of the guns of the French battery that has been trying to locate and destroy the long range cannon firing on the French capital, killed the whole crew of German gunners serving the giant rifle.

In partial corroboration of the reports, it is pointed out that it is now forty-eight hours since the German gun ceased firing on Paris.

Boston Sidelights On the Liberty Loan Drive

Today's slogan for the Liberty Loan campaign:

"Let not the day's slow descending sun
Find in your hands no Liberty bond or gun."

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Somerville's chief Liberty Loan rally comes tomorrow night in High School Auditorium at 8 p. m. Mayor Eldridge and Lieutenant O. H. Jones of the Black Watch will speak, and there will be special music and patriotic songs. One company of the State Guard will be present.

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The Women's Liberty Loan Committee report the following subscriptions from the booths at department stores for April 23:

At Jordan Marsh Company, 16 subscribers, $15,400; Kennedy's, 2 subscribers, $10,100; Copley-Plaza, 5 subscribers, $5,450; R. H. White & Co., 87 subscribers, $6,000; T. D. Whitney Company, 1 subscriber, $10,000; Wm. Filene's Sons Company, 18 subscribers, $2,900.

Mead, Morrison Mfg. Co. have taken $40,000 of the Third Liberty loan, and the East Boston Savings Bank $75,000.

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The Boston Trades Committee reports receiving this morning from the Wool Trade pledges or subscriptions of $5,571,200, as the result of the Liberty Loan mass meeting of Tuesday afternoon.

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Shoe & Leather Trade report $759,500 additional; The Cotton Trade $332,000 additional; Furniture Trade $162,350 additional; Lumber Trade $30,250 additional; Coal Trade $46,850 additional; Willett, Sears & Co. $8,150 additional from 148 employes; Flour & Grain Trade $29,600 additional; Boston Real Estate Exchange $19,300; Shipping Trade $16,000 additional; Tobacco Trade $6,200; Sporting Goods $7,000.

W. B. DENISON, FORMER BANK PRESIDENT, DEAD

William B. Denison, former president of the Atlantic National Bank, died today at his home, No. 53 Lowell avenue, Newtonville, at the age of eighty-five. Mr. Denison was born at Burke, Vt., and spent his early years in the service of different Vermont and New Hampshire banks. Besides a widow, he leaves a son, William K. Denison, and a daughter, Mrs. Robert Shepherd.

FISH DEALER FINED FOR LIQUOR NUISANCE

Jose Riberio, proprietor of a fish market on Cambridge street, was found guilty today of maintaining a liquor nuisance. He was fined $75 by Judge Almy. The fish market was raided on the morning of April 19 and a quantity of liquor seized.

Air Raid Wrap Is Latest Fad in Paris Shops

By ROBERT S. DOMAN,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Paris, April 2 (by mail).—It is exhibited in the window of a Rue de la Paix shop and daily attracts large crowds.

It is called "La Sirene" and is the latest Paris fashion in deshabille.

It is named after the siren which warns Paris of air raids. It is a wrapper and is meant to be slipped on when madame or mademoiselle, caught abed when the alarm sounds, prepares to descend to a bombproof.

This is the way it is described:

"Elegant deshabille of swan silk material with assorted velvet facings and silk cordeliere. Very practical in the case of air raids. All colors, 79.95 francs."

The robe contains pockets for cards, face powder and other feminine necessities. It is selling very well.

FREED, TAKEN BY U. S. ON MORPHINE CHARGE

Arrested as he was released from Charles Street Jail, Gordon Phillips of this city was today held in $3,000 by United States Commissioner Hayes on the charge of having morphine in his possession. It is claimed that the morphine was unlawfully imported into this country. Phillips had been at the Charles Street Jail on default of $2,000 bail imposed by the Municipal Court. Bail was furnished, but when the man was released he was taken into custody on a Federal warrant.

GIVES TWO SONS FOR WAR; OFFERS A THIRD

After giving two sons to war service, William T. Eustis of Flxfield, Me., eighty-two, a Civil War veteran, has another boy not yet eighteen who is anxious to get into the "big fight." "My boy is not yet eighteen and weighs about 150 pounds. He cannot wait till he is eighteen, but wants to join some part of the service right off," said the father. "He's the last boy I have and I'm mighty glad to give him, as I have given the other boys."

PLEADS INNOCENCE IN CLINTON BABY MURDER

Clinton, April 24.—Patrick J. Sullivan, charged with the murder of four-year-old Stella Soldi on April 5, was arraigned in the Clinton District Court today and pleaded not guilty. During the hearing before Judge Jonathan Smith the courthouse was closely guarded, the authorities fearing a hostile demonstration on the part of members of the local Italian colony. Judge Smith ordered the hearing continued until Tuesday, April 30.

SCANDINAVIAN EQUAL SUFFRAGE MEETING

The Scandinavian Equal Suffrage League of Greater Boston will hold a concert and mass meeting in Berkeley Hall, Berkeley street, on Sunday, at 3:30 p. m. The chief address will be given by Miss Jennie L. Loitman, attorney-at-law. The musical program includes piano solos by Miss Frances C. Lamb, song by Miss Elsa C. Lindell, violin solo by Miss Alma Rosengren, formerly of Kansas. The societies Gustaf Adolph II, I. O. G. T., Oscar Bernadotte, I. O. G. T., and Svea, I. O. G. T., are co-operating.

GIRLS SELL BONDS AT MAGRANE HOUSTON'S

Twelve young women, attractively gowned in white, with blue liberty caps, all from Virginia, Georgia and Louisiana, sold many bonds at a rally at the Magrane-Houston Company today. Lieutenant R. R. Murray, M. C., of the Canadian forces, who spent twenty-one months in the trenches and seven months in a hospital, told of his war experiences, and urged his hearers to buy bonds that America might lend support to the British line that is fighting with its back against the wall.

Motono Forced Out by Japanese Row Over Siberia

By International News Service.

Washington, April 24.—Advices to the Japanese embassy today say that the resignation of Viscount Motono as Foreign Minister of Japan, which was submitted to Premier Terauchi, has been accepted and that Baron Goto has been named as his successor.

The resignation of Motono was forced by differences of opinion as to Japan's suggested policy in Siberia.

2 SETS OF BROTHERS ENLIST WITH CANADIANS

Two sets of brothers, natives of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia enlisted at the British-Canadian Recruiting Mission, No. 44 Bromfield street, today. They are James and John Brogan of No. 316 Pearl street, Cambridge, and Benjamin and George Theriault, who have been employed as chefs at a Nahant hotel.

James Brogan is a shipper and was born in Fredericton, N. B., and is unmarried. His brother John is a cabaret singer, born in St. John, and has a wife and two children. The Theriault brothers are single and are natives of Packetville, N. B. The men all said they were tired of hearing about service dodgers.

"COLDER" THIS EVENING; GARDENERS, BEWARE

Don't forget to cover up your hotframes tonight. The weather man says it will be "fair and somewhat cooler" this evening. "Fair and cooler" at this season of the year generally means a frost, so beware, all amateur gardeners. Lettuce, radishes and early peas are hardy and are not injured by light Spring frosts. But tomato plants and other tender vegetables will shrivel if frost-bitten. Tomorrow will be fair with moderate west winds. Seasonable weather on the whole will prevail over New England, according to the weather man.

REVEAL PARIS ROMANCE IN MAINE DIVORCE SUIT

Bangor, Me., April 24.—The shattering of a romance, begun in Paris, will be revealed here Saturday when action begins on the divorce suit of Dorothy Rice Pierce of New York against Waldo R. Pierce, former Harvard football star. Pierce, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mellen C. Pierce of Broadway, Bangor, is driving an ambulance in France, where he was awarded the Croix de Guerre. His wife is the daughter of Mrs. Isaac W. Rice, president of the Society for the Suppression of Unnecessary Noise. Mrs. Pierce is an aviatrix, painter and sculptor.

ENGINEER FINED $25 FOR SUGAR AND BRASS 'CORSET'

Hans H. Smith, thirty-six, of Milton paid a fine of $25 in the Cambridge District Court today for the larceny of twenty-five pounds of sugar and twelve feet of brass pipe from the Revere Sugar Refinery at East Cambridge. He was caught leaving his work as an engineer there with a long bag with sugar wrapped about his person like a girdle, and underneath this a coil of brass pipe encircling his waist.

GLOUCESTER SOLDIER IS DEAD OF HIS WOUNDS

Private Charles B. Knutsen of Gloucester, who was reported in a recent list of casualties as being wounded, is today listed among those who have since died of their wounds. Knutsen's home was at No. 147 East Main street, Gloucester. He was a member of the 104th Infantry.

COAL PRODUCTION CUT BY STRIKE IN AUSTRIA

Paris, April 24.—Reports received from Swiss sources today state that an important strike in the Austrian coal mines has materially reduced the output. The coal production has been so crippled, it is said, that all passenger traffic has been suspended on the Austrian railways.

TINKLE, TINKLE FOR ICE MAN; UP GOES PRICE

Still, It Is None of the Public's Business, if You Believe the Dealer

More money for the ice man's May basket.

The Morrill-Atwood Company of Charlestown announced today that beginning May 1, its ice rate for family use would be advanced from 40 cents per hundred pounds to 50 cents.

It is believed that other ice companies of Boston district will follow suit, although they decline so far to say so.

President Frank J. Bartlett of the Boston Ice Company refused today to affirm or deny that an increase in the rate was being considered by his company. He said:

"It is something that the public has no business to know anything about."

Practically all the ice dealers in the metropolitan district now charge 40 cents per hundred for ice for family use.

MUST CARRY 5-CENT CUTS.

Under the new schedule of the Morrill-Atwood Company the five-cent piece of ice will be abolished except to persons who make their own deliveries from the wagon. For a nickel purchase you will have to lug it yourself. The five-cent piece will weigh ten pounds.

Other dealers besides President Bartlett of the Boston Ice Company were reticent.

O. S. Haywood, secretary of the Massachusetts Ice Dealers' Association, and an official of the Metropolitan Ice Company, was equally non-communicative. He thought that the papers should not print anything about the matter. He admitted that all of the dealers of the metropolitan district charged the same prices, but claimed that the subject was never discussed at meetings of the association, and that there was no price fixing.

An official of the Arlington-Belmont Ice Company stated that an increase "has got to come."

According to one ice dealer the companies are being held back from announcing a general rise because they apprehend that such action might be followed by action similar to that taken in New York, where, under a new law, all sellers of ice are licensed and subject to close regulation as to prices, with heavy penalties for violations of the law.

ICE WAS TOO THICK.

At a meeting of all the leading ice men of the State at the American House about a month ago, it was announced that for patriotic reasons the dealers would keep their prices at the same level as last year. When this fact was called to the attention of dealers today, they pointed to the greater cost of harvesting ice. The ice was too thick to be cut economically, it was stated, and wages were higher than a year ago. It was also claimed that wagon workers were being paid higher wages.

Beginning May 1, ice water from the office cooler will be more costly. On that date a 25 per cent. increase in rates for office buildings will become effective.

TWO DORCHESTER BOYS ARE MADE LIEUTENANTS

Two Dorchester boys are among those who have received commissions as second lieutenants at Camp Gordon, Ga. They are Lieutenant Mark A. Roberts, twenty-four, of No. 798 Dorchester avenue, and Lieutenant Henry G. McDonnell, twenty-eight, of No. 812 Blue Hill avenue, Mattapan.

Lieutenant Roberts is the son of Andrew S. Roberts and was graduated from Mechanic Arts High School, afterwards attending the Massachusetts Agricultural College. He has a brother, Andrew, with the 23d Infantry in France.

Lieutenant McDonnell's father, now deceased, was a granite dealer of Quincy. The lieutenant's mother lives in Mattapan. He was graduated from Adams Grammar School, Adams Academy and Boston College.

WHEATON COLLEGE ASSOCIATION ELECTS

Norton, April 24.—The following officers have been elected for the Student Government Association of Wheaton College for the next collegiate year: President, Allegra Maynard of Providence; vice-president, G. Jane Orcutt of Mechanicsville, N. Y.; secretary, Alma M. Magoon of Manchester, N. H.; treasurer, Margaret Ridlon of Gorham, Me. Miss Maynard was president of her class in freshman year, secretary of the athletic association sophomore year, and vice-president of the Student Government Association this year.

SPECIAL SILVER SALE FOR WAR THIMBLE FUND

A special sale of silver articles donated to the silver thimble fund of the Boston Metropolitan Chapter of the Red Cross will be held at the lunch and tea room, No. 437 Boylston street, on Monday and Tuesday. Art posters designed by Boston artists for the flower show will also be sold. The auctioneer will be a well-known actor now appearing in Boston. The lunch and tea room will close on Saturday after five successful months, probably to be reopened in the Fall.

REFRESHING AND PURE
"SALADA"
TEA—"ALWAYS in FAVOR"

LIBERTY LOAN MASS MEETING IN FANEUIL HALL TUESDAY

Let Everybody Get in Line to Give the Hun the Right Answer; Mayor Peters to Preside at Rally.

To stimulate interest in the Third Liberty Loan the Boston AMERICAN will conduct a mass meeting in Faneuil Hall next Tuesday noon. The third Liberty Loan MUST be fully subscribed and the Boston AMERICAN is going to do its utmost to secure that result. Readers of this paper are invited to attend next Tuesday's meeting.

A fine program is being arranged and it will be well worth anybody's time to attend. Mayor Andrew J. Peters, who has done such fine work for all three Liberty loans, will be one of the speakers. He is glad to do his "bit" toward making the meeting a success. When the invitation was extended to him to be one of the speakers he accepted without hesitation.

NAVY'S STAR SPEAKER.

The United States navy will be represented by Captain W. T. Cluverious, one of the most eloquent speakers in that branch of the service. The captain spoke at a Liberty Loan rally of the Boston wool trade and scored a big hit.

Although the captain does not boast about his ability as a speaker, members of the New England Liberty Loan committee regard him as one of the best in the navy.

"If you think it will help," said Captain Cluverious to a representative of the AMERICAN, "I will very gladly accept the invitation. I am willing to help in any way I can."

Several other men of national reputation will address the gathering. A prominent army officer will be among the number, as well as a man from the West who is known as one of the cleverest public speakers in that part of the country. A widely known Boston man will preside.

Good snappy music will be played by a local band and there will be singing by a woman whose voice is considered one of the best in New England.

PLANS FOR BIG RALLY.

Tuesday's rally will be similar to the one conducted by the AMERICAN in the interest of the second Liberty Loan. That meeting was so successful that thousands of people went to Boston Common to attend it, although there was a heavy rain at the time. Tremont Temple was then used and it was crowded to the doors. It was one of the most successful meetings conducted in behalf of the second loan. Every effort will be made to make next week's rally in Faneuil Hall as successful.

New England never has fallen down when the Government needed aid. It must not fall down on the Third Liberty Loan.

The Germans are watching us now hoping that we will not support the Government whole-heartedly. Their leaders have said that we are not in this fight for democracy with our whole heart and soul. We must give them the lie. The best way to do so is to attend Tuesday's rally and show by your presence that you are interested in what is being done to make the world a place worth living in.

NAVY 'MOVIES' TONIGHT AT RALLIES ON COMMON

United States Navy "movies" will be shown at the two Liberty Bond rallies at Liberty Barracks on Boston Common this evening. The reels, which are official United States Government pictures, will show our destroyers in action. Particularly interesting parts of the reels will show the smoke screens for concealing vessels. Another reel will show the life and training in the United States Navy. A special detail of United States Marines will sound "Colors" from the Liberty Theatre as a prelude to the ceremony of "Honors to the Flag." Boy Scouts will serve as ushers. The audience will sing new war choruses and the older patriotic songs. The program will include "silent talks" and two-minute addresses.

SOMERVILLE BENEFIT FOR MEN IN FRANCE

The ladies' auxiliary of Company M, Eighth Regiment, National Guard, now serving in France, will give a benefit in the interest of the absent guardsmen at the armory, Highland avenue, Somerville, Friday evening, at 8 o'clock. A feature of the entertainment will be an exhibition drill by Company B of the Twelfth Regiment, State Guard, which is Company M's successor in quarters at the armory. Dancing will follow the drill. Friends of either company are invited to attend. The proceeds will contribute to the comfort of the men fighting America's battle over seas.

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ACTRESS GIVES RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR

A Well Known Actress Tells How to Darken Gray Hair With a Simple Home Made Mixture.

Joicey Williams, the well known American actress, who was recently playing at the Imperial Theatre in St. Louis, Mo., made the following statement about gray hair and how to darken it:

"Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home, at very little cost, that will darken gray, streaked or faded hair, and make it soft and glossy. To a half pint of water add 1 ounce of bay rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ ounce of glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost, or any druggist can put it up for you. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This will make a gray haired person look 20 years younger. It does not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off.

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TWO FEDERAL DISTRICTS PASS LOAN QUOTAS

Twelve States Also Go Over Mark; New England Is Still Shy

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largely. The offensive just taken by the British and the success of the German loan, which shows what America must meet, are also expected to be stimulating factors.

American citizens of German ancestry will make a vigorous drive for the loan in this State Sunday, when they will make a whirlwind motor car tour of the State in nine automobiles. One will go to Springfield and Westfield, one to Holyoke, Chicopee and Greenfield, one to Pittsfield and North Adams, one to Worcester and Webster, one to Clinton, Leominster and Fitchburg, one to Lowell and Manchester, and one each to Lawrence, Lynn and Beverly, and Fall River and New Bedford.

HONOR CITIES I NRACE.

The Treasury Department at Washington has not decided whether the St. Louis or Minneapolis Federal Reserve district was first to fill its quota. The last two States to fill their quotas are Colorado and Arizona, but their oversubscriptions have not been announced.

The honor cities in the race, with their percentages of the allotment subscribed, based on a minimum of $3,000,000,000 are: Toledo, O., 159; Sioux City, Ia., 150; Detroit, Mich., 148; Des Moines, Ia., 141; St. Joseph, Mo., 138; Evansville, Ind., 130; Louisville, Ky., 125; and Milwaukee, sometimes referred to as a "German city," 119 per cent.

With these records being put into effect by the cities of the middle West, Boston is in danger of being left far behind in the race. New England has filled only 58 per cent. of its quota, and Boston's mark is not nearly so good as that. The small cities and towns in New England are making far better records.

The day's record showed that Massachusetts took 60 per cent. of the total subscribed in twenty-four hours, adding $8,067,000. Connecticut added $1,385,000, Maine $1,029,000, Rhode Island $993,000, New Hampshire $416,000, Vermont $232,000.

The total number of individual subscriptions reported was 267,598. Only 128 of 841 active banks were missing on the day's report.

Maine has now a total of $9,164,000, or 70 per cent. of its quota; New Hampshire $6,325,000, 63 per cent. of its quota; Vermont $4,025,000, 62 per cent. of its quota; Rhode Island $14,416,000, 57.5 per cent. of its quota; Connecticut $21,827,000, 65 per cent.; Massachusetts $85,842,000, 53 per cent.

Twenty-three cities and towns have sent word that they have oversubscribed. These include:

In Maine—Brewer, Charleston, Harrington, Hartland, Gardiner, North Anson, Dexter, Cherryfield, Danforth.

In Connecticut—Wethersfield, Clinton, Avon, Durham, Andover, Broadbrook, South Glastonbury, Goshen, Columbia.

In New Hampshire—Bethlehem, Goffstown, Newport, Troy.

In Vermont—Waitsfield.

This makes, in all 482 communities which have gone over the top in New England.

EVERYBODY TAKES A HAND.

The Cleveland Federal reserve district has awarded 740 honor flags. The Kansas City district has sent out 729 flags to date, 640 of which went to towns. Forty-seven additional stars also have ben authorized, indicating that the quotas have been doubled. The towns of Bountiful and Paoli, Colorado, are five times over their quotas.

The New York district has awarded 47 honor flags in the last 24 hours, making the total 373.

The Atlanta federal reserve bank reports that the train crew operating one of the Liberty loan exhibit trains between Baton Rouge and Crowley, La., refused to accept compensation for running the train. Atlanta reports that receipts from bond sales at that bank exceeded $2,000,000 on Monday.

GERALDINE FARRAR, who will sing "Star Spangled Banner" at Liberty Loan rally on the Common Saturday afternoon.



Exhibition Drill in Armory

An exhibition drill for the benefit of the boys of Company M of the Eighth Regiment, will be given in the Somerville Armory, Highland avenue, Friday evening, by Company B, of the State Guard. The affair will be conducted by the Ladies' Auxiliary of Company M.

MISS FARRAR TO SING AND SMILE FOR UNCLE SAM

By F. J. McISAAC.

Two years ago, when the Metropolitan season of opera opened in Boston, the curtain revealed a tableau of three beautiful women classically draped, and one of these wore a liberty cap. It was Geraldine Farrar.

As the audience gazed in surprise at an unexpected stage picture, Miss Farrar began to sing, and she sang "The Star Spangled Banner."

Our national anthem has become rather more popular since that time and it is no longer worthy of comment when it is played or sung at an operatic or symphonic entertainment. But it is good to remember that it was a Boston girl, Geraldine Farrar, who started the practice before our country went to war.

Next Saturday afternoon Miss Farrar will sing "The Star Spangled Banner" to a huge crowd on the Common, which she will then induce to buy Liberty Bonds. In New York and elsewhere she has been giving freely of her voice and spirits in the cause of patriotism.

She talked about the work yesterday afternoon in her apartment at a Boston hotel with the most unbounded enthusiasm.

"I spent years singing within the confines of Germany, received much of my operatic training there, and I retained a kindly feeling for things German until this war began," explained Miss Farrar.

"Now that our own country has gone to war with Germany I have blotted out all that part of my life. I am an American girl. I love my country and I want it to triumph over its enemies. Everything that I have is at the disposal of my own people.

"It seems to me from what I read and hear that there is too much stress being laid upon the horrible and disgusting features of the war. I don't think it does any good to print stories about 'cooties' and similar discomforts, of atrocities, of filth, squalor and misery, even if they are true.

"Our boys will find out the unpleasant things soon enough, and they ought to be encouraged to think of the big, wonderful, glorious thing the are doing in crossing the ocean to give battle for their flag in the cause of world democracy.

"In all probability they won't get killed or wounded, and most of them will escape the pests like 'cooties,' which our war muck rakers are laying so much stress upon; so why depress them and make them uncomfortable.

"I think those who are selling Liberty Bonds ought to lay stress upon the wonderful features of the war and not on its horrors. I have heard speakers whose remarks were exceedingly unpleasant and which had practically no effect in getting bonds sold.

"On the other hand, I have seen stage women raise hundreds of thousands by tactful remarks full of good humor and kindness, coaxing the subscriptions out of the crowds instead of trying to bulldoze them into giving up.

"I read somewhere the other day a very funny line to the effect that some citizens went quietly to a bank and bought all the bonds they could afford, while others wouldn't give up until they had heard the sextet from 'Lucia' sung by Geraldine Farrar, John McCormack, William McAdoo, Howard Taft and Woodrow Wilson.

"I do not think that is quite fair, but it is awfully funny. What actually happens is that our meetings persuade the quiet man who has already bought at his bank to take a few more bonds which he wouldn't otherwise have purchased."

"Have you given up acting for the movies?" I asked after the Liberty Bond issue had been fully subscribed.

"I should say not," replied Miss Farrar. "I intend to spend the Summer making pictures."

"But I heard that the Metropolitan Opera would not permit its artists to appear in pictures."

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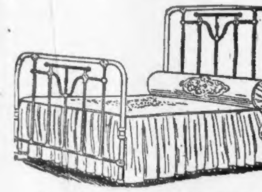
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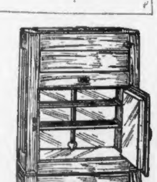
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FARRAR WINS NEW TRIUMPH IN "TOSCA"

McCormack and Scotti Also Combine to Make Performance Memorable

By FRED J. McISAAC.

A very alluring cast drew another vast audience to the Boston Opera House last night for the performance of "Tosca."

John McCormack, the world's most popular concert tenor, with Geraldine Farrar, America's most celebrated prima donna, and Scotti, most distinguished of operatic baritones in point of service, made an irresistable combination.

Curiously enough, it was a far more representative Boston audience than greeted Caruso on the opening night.

Right away let it be declared that it was a memorable performance.

Miss Farrar has always been at a disadvantage of one sort or another when singing in her own home town.

Last night she revealed why she has held her place at the head of the list of sopranos in what is practically an Italian opera house located in America for more than a decade.

Her Floria Tosca was a warm-blooded, human creature with elemental passions and tremendous forces.

A more thrilling second act has rarely been witnessed in Boston, and we have seen many fine Tosca's in the last ten years.

Her voice was richer, more full, free and appealing than I have ever heard it, while the artistry of her singing left absolutely nothing to be desired.

Puccini's music for Mario Cavaradossi lies in the most beautiful part of John McCormack's voice, and the Irish tenor sang both the arias and the duets with Farrar with his customary intelligence and splendid effect. In the second act there is a trumpet like cry of "Vittoria" by the tenor which called for McCormack's top note. It was a very sorry affair, but fortunately it was soon over. The tenor acted eloquently.

The Baron Scarpia of Signor Scotti is one of the most artistic performances in all opera. His name will always be associated with the part. His voice is greatly worn, but he uses it cleverly and artistically. The sacristan of Malatesta deserves special mention, as does the Spoletta of Bada and the Angelotti of Rossi.

LAWRENCE MAYOR MAY TENDER HIS RESIGNATION

Lawrence, April 24.—Owing to his weakened physical condition, Mayor John J. Hurley may resign office. He has just returned from an extended vacation and now on advice of physicians he must rest for at least six months. A close friend of Mayor Hurley states that the mayor will soon resign as he feels the city's administrative affairs should be under some responsible head who will have full charge.

CRIMSON NET SQUADS GET BUSY ON COURTS

Fifty candidates, including twenty-two freshmen, have reported for the Harvard tennis teams. The varsity men will use the Divinity Field courts, until the Jarvis Field nets are ready, while the freshmen will practice on Holmes Field.

The varsity schedule will open in Cambridge either May 3 or 4, with Dartmouth. The freshman season also starts that week, St. Marks furnishing the opposition.

HAPPENINGS IN SOCIETY

Browning Society Assists War Work of Metropolitan Student Y. W. C. A.



Miss Marion Scott, field captain Northeastern Federation Girl Scouts Council, and captain of Troop 1, Brookline.

By KATHARINE ALDEN.

Governor and Mrs. McCall, Mrs. John A. Johnston, Mrs. Andrew J. Peters, Mrs. Brewer Eddy, Mr. Arthur S. Johnson, Mrs. Thomas St. John Lockwood, Mrs. W. Jason Mixter, Mrs. Robert Jordan, Mrs. Samuel Mixter, Mrs. William Lindsey, Mrs. Joel Goldthwaite, Mrs. Atherton T. Brown, Captain and Mrs. William R. Rush, Mrs. Arthur Berry, are among the patrons and patronesses for the meeting in the Copley-Plaza this afternoon, under the auspices of the Browning Society, for the benefit of the Metropolitan Student, Y. W. C. A. and its work for the prisoners of war.

E. Greer Wilson of New York, International Y. M. C. A. secretary, who recently returned from work with the Allied prisoners of war, will speak on "My Year in a German Prison Camp." Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, chairman of the student Y. W. C. A. Metropolitan Committee, will also speak. Miss Grace Emerson will read Browning's "Saul," and there will be solos and duets by Alfred Holy, harpist, and Adolphe Bak, violinist.

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At 3:30 o'clock this afternoon Miss Rose Dexter opens her home at No. 400 Beacon street for a benefit lecture and musicale to aid a war knitting fund to be used for service socks made by Italian mothers of the Tileston Street Boys' Reading Club. William Roscoe Thayer will speak on "How Italy Entered the War," and Grace Bonner Williams, soprano; N. Bellnski, 'cellist, and Carolyn King Hunt, pianist, are to contribute to the program.

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Mrs. Richard Thorndike of Millis entertains twenty of her fellow members of the 1905 Sewing Circle today at luncheon in the parlor suite of the Copley-Plaza. Mrs. Thorndike was formerly Florence Macy.

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Miss Clarissa Curtis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Curtis of Beacon street, is devoting her Wednesdays to taking a course on how to teach the blind.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith give an illustrated lecture on "Children of the Frontier," at the Chestnut Hill clubhouse at 3 o'clock this afternoon for the benefit of the Children's Museum. As Mr. Smith leaves shortly for France, this will probably be one of his last talks. New photographs, recently sent over by the French government, will be shown. Members of the committee are Mrs. Robert M. Sayles, Mrs. George A. Pope, Mrs. Elmer C. Bliss, Mrs. Arthur L. Chute, Mrs. Roland G. Hopkins, Miss Margaret Slade and Mrs. J. W. Wheeler.

Funeral of S. R. Crocker

The funeral of Sylvester Russell Crocker of Arlington Heights, a carpenter and builder, with offices in Brookline and a deacon of the Park Avenue Congregational Church, Arlington Heights, was held in his late home, No. 69 Crescent Hill avenue. The service was conducted by the Rev. John M. Phillips of the Park Avenue Church.

SOCIETY WOMEN IN BRILLIANT ATTIRE

Number of Handsome Gowns in Evidence at the Opera

Notable among the many well-gowned women at the opera were Mrs. Marshal Fabyan, wearing taupe crepe de chine embroidered in coral pink beads, who was of a party including Mrs. Thomas P. Lindsay; Mrs. F. Gordon Dexter, yellow and white striped silk with wrap of yellow and blue changeant taffeta; Mrs. Bernard Shirley Carter, mauve satin and tulle with paillette embroidery, and Mrs. Nathaniel S. Simpkins in black tulle over cream colored satin.

Mrs. Malcolm Graeme Haughton, who was with her husband, was in black satin with side draperies of tulle; Mrs. John A. Tuckerman, mauve and gold brocade combined with mauve cloth of gold; Mrs. Edward Bohler Welch, apple green taffeta with white lace; Mrs. Thomas D. Stevenson, black velvet, and Mrs. Henry C. Ahlborn in violet velvet, with a party including her son, Mr. Emil Ahlborn.

Mrs. William Lindsey wore black tulle with jetted embroidery; Mrs. Eugene N. Foss, blue tulle with much gold lace and embroidery; Mrs. James Lawrence, who was with Mr. Lawrence, pink satin flowered in gold, the underskirt of white tulle; Mrs. Arthur Little, black jetted tulle, and Mrs. William Whitman, who was with her, was also in black with paillette embroidery.

BLUE OVER GOLD.

Mrs. John T. Bottomly, who was with Dr. Bottomly, wore Mediterranean blue tulle over gold-colored satin; Mrs. George Osgood, white lace wrought in silver, and her sister, Miss Dorothy Bolles, black velvet; Mrs. Richard C. Storey, in hyacinth blue changeant taffeta, who was of a party including Mr. Storey; Miss Minna Jones, marine blue tulle with paillettes of the same tone, and Miss Susan Dabney, cerise taffeta and tulle.

Mrs. William E. Ladd in black tulle with gold lace was with Mrs. Edward Motley, who wore black satin and lace; Mrs. John Cabrell in black satin had her daughter in palest blue taffeta with silver embroidery and fringe; and Mrs. William A. Gaston in black jetted tulle had in her party her daughter, Miss Hope Gaston, who has not yet been presented, in turquoise blue taffeta and chiffon.

Others there were: Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. Warren H. P. Weeks, Mrs. Sargent and Mrs. Weeks, both wearing black jetted gowns; Mr. and Mrs. James Dean, Mrs. Dean in cerise taffeta and tulle; Mrs. Reginald Gray in black satin and tulle with a party, including her son, Lieutenant Hoyt Gray, and her niece, Miss Elizabeth Gray, who wore rose pink chiffon and lace; Mrs. Osmond Fay in black satin, who was with her father, Mr. Dudley Fay, and he brother, Mr. Arthur Fay.

PARTY OF FOUR.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Frothingham and the Misses Frothingham and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lyon Weyburn, Mrs. Frothingham wearing pale gray chiffon in the cut steel embroidery and Mrs. Weyburn, black satin and tulle with touches of gold.

Mrs. Wirt Dexter in deep blue satin and tulle; Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Dwight, Mrs. Nevers in black satin covered with jetted net, and Miss Olive Tennyson Foster also in black satin with touches of cerise.

Mrs. Robert Shaw Russell, Mrs. Bonito G. Curtis, Mrs. William S. Rogers, Miss Corina and Miss Nancy Ely, Mrs. N. Hugh Cotton and her sister, Miss Lillian Clapp; Mrs. Theodore G. Bromer, Miss Belle and Miss Abby Hunt, Miss Elizabeth Burgess, Miss Evelyn Hitchcock and Miss Mary Sears were of the many wearing black with more or less coloring.

Mrs. William Rodman Fay in pale blue taffeta and tulle, Miss Elsie Nonas in pale blue velvet, Miss Anna Wheeler wearing sea green cloth of silver with green tulle, Mrs. Joseph Sargent, Mrs. Francis Gray, Mr. Stephen H. Bennett and Dr. George E. Binney were others there.

FOOD PRODUCTION TALKS AT HORTICULTURAL HALL

In the interest of increased food production, especially in home gardens, the Massachusetts Horticultural Society continues a series of practical talks and demonstrations on this subject at Horticultural Hall to continue through the season.

The first meeting will be held tomorrow at 7:30 p. m., when the subject of preparation of the soil and fertilizers will be discussed by William N. Craig, superintendent of Faulkner Farm, Brookline.

Next Saturday evening Messrs. Duncan Finlayson, superintendent of Lee Woodbridge, Jamaica Plain, and T. D. Hatfield, superintendent of the Hunnewell Estate, Wellesley, will give lectures on planting seeds with a real plot of earth for practical illustration.

Tuesday, May 7, at 8 o'clock, a public meeting, under the auspices of the United States Food Administration will be held.

All these meetings will be free to the public. It is also planned to have a competent expert gardener at Horticultural Hall every day to give information and to answer questions on gardening subjects.

MORSE ASSOCIATION TO HEAR STORIES OF WAR

Interesting news from the twelve members in the service will be delivered during the annual banquet, business meeting and entertainment of the Leopold Morse Company Mutual Benefit Association, composed of employes of this prominent clothing company, which will be held on Thursday evening, April 25, at 7 o'clock in the Hotel Brewster.

T. J. Brady is chairman, and Max Berhardt, secretary and treasurer of the committee of arrangements, of which Walter Johnson is also a member. The present officers and directors of the association are: T. J. Brady, president; L. J. Gould, vice president; Max Berhardt, secretary; John J. Fallon, treasurer; with Fred Taylor, Ed Whitcomb, Jacob Smith, Stephen Casey and Clifton S. Marks, directors.

The invited guests are three members of the firm of Leopold Morse Company; Ferdinand Strauss, president, Julius C. Morse, vice president, Leon Strauss, secretary, also Mark Gallagher, designer and Dr. Joseph Ancker.

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OPEN CARS ONLY IN PENINSULA DISTRICT

Elevated Hasn't Enough to Go Around and Will Use Them in South Boston

No open cars will be operated on the lines of the Boston Elevated this Summer except in South Boston.

This announcement was made today by Edward Dana, traffic manager of the Elevated, who says that the reason is that no open cars are available except on a comparatively few lines.

he said. "This year, in order to give the best service with what cars of that type we have, we are going to consolidate them in one district—South Boston.

"Every car that runs out of the North Point car house will be of the twelve-bench open type. It seemed to us that with the limited number of these cars at our disposal they could be employed most effectively in one locality, rather than spreading out all over the city."

MOTORS USED ELSEWHERE.

Further details of the Elevated's plans are given in a report by the standing committee on Elevated matters of the Dorchester Board of Trade, which has investigated the removal of open cars from the Dorchester district.

"We found that the Elevated had been using motors and other parts taken out of open cars to keep the box cars running," the report reads. "In Division 1 the box cars were practically all usable except some fifty cars leased to the Boston & Worcester Washington street.

Lack of funds to repair cars, difficulty in obtaining parts and shortage of labor were given as reasons for the failure to keep up the supply of open cars. There are only about 112 open cars on the system now.

NEEDED MORE IN SOUTH BOSTON.

Those will be used in South Boston because the district is small, relatively congested, has many stops and carries people to City Point and Marine Park for outings. The Dorchester investigators agreed that the cars could better be employed in South Boston than elsewhere, to facilitate loading and unloading of workmen at industrial plants and mothers and children in the district and at City Point.

Articulated cars will be used to Squantum, Victory Plant, Neponset and Fore River. Large semi-convertible cars will be put into use on the other Dorchester lines as rapidly as possible.

Before long, it is expected, open cars will be a thing of the past. The use of semi-convertible cars reduces accidents, and moreover they can be used the year round instead of only a part of the time. The old box types will also soon be extinct.

Mrs. Bement Tea Speaker

Mrs. Lewis D. Bement was the chief speaker at a tea in honor of the workers for the Malone meeting, which was given by the National Woman's Party of Massachusetts, at No. 9 Park street, today.

"TIZ" FOR ACHING, SORE, TIRED FEET

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HELD AS ROBBER GANG FOR THEFT OF $150,000

Leader, 'Dressed Like a Millionaire,' Taken With Three Others at New York

By International News Service.

New York, April 24. — A band of thieves which during the last few months is alleged to have robbed residences of New York, Long Island and Rhode Island of gems, furs and art treasures valued at least $150,000, has been rounded up by the Brooklyn police. Four men are locked up in headquarters at Brooklyn. The arrest of three others is expected momentarily.

James Regan, one of the men already taken, has made a complete confession, the police say. He gave the names and addresses of many wealthy New Yorkers whose homes he has looted since March 1, and a complete list of his spoils.

Those under arrest are: Regan, who is also known as Jimmy Burns and Leo Stenberg. He is twenty-three years old, dresses like a young millionaire, has his own automobile and maintains a handsomely furnished apartment at No. 1304 Bates avenue, Brooklyn. Jack Attis, twenty-four, of No. 9 West 113th street, Manhattan. Harry Epstein of No. 101 West 110th street, a theatre ticket speculator, familiar to thousands who do not buy their Metropolitan tickets at the box office. Sam Solomon, also known as Sam Boston, of No. 50 West 138th street. He is a well known figure at every race track near New York.

Regan and Attis are both charged with burglary. Epstein and Solomon are charged with receiving stolen goods. Detective Captain John Coughlin had his men stationed in front of the home of Regan's sweetheart, at One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Lenox avenue. At twilight Regan emerged and entered his automobile, for which he had paid $1,685 the day before yesterday. Detectives leaped on the running board of the car and seized him.

He confessed to robbing the following homes in Brooklyn during March, the police say: Rev. Fred F. Shannon, No. 486 Columbia street; Mrs. Isaac C. Collier, No. 1169 Dean street; Sanford H. Steele, banker, No. 26 Pierpont street; George F. Swift, No. 203 Washington avenue; John T. Underwood, president of the Underwood Typewriter Company, No. 336 Washington avenue; Dr. Edward J. Moreno, No. 196 Hancock street.

LIBERTY LOAN RALLY AT SCHOOL OF COMMERCE

At the Liberty Loan rally today at the High School of Commerce, Lieutenant Morise of the French Army gave an illustrated lecture on the war, a service flag was flung to the breeze for the 750 representatives of the school in the service, and Headmaster James E. Downey paid tribute to the memory of Frank G. Kane of the class of 1915, killed in action in France. The service flag of the school now has the three gold stars in memory of Private Kane, George Kline, killed in action in France, and Walter Shea, killed in Louisiana while in the aviation service.

ALFRED LUNT, Finnish actor, who is playing a leading male role in "A Country Cousin" at the Hollis Street Theatre.



SOFT DRINKS ONLY IN CHICAGO CABARETS NOW

Chicago, April 24.—With but seven days remaining for cabarets to run, many proprietors of the larger places and gardens have said they will keep their dancing and entertainment and run on the soft drink plan. Under the ordinance no dancing or entertainment can be held where alcoholic liquors are sold.

Will Give Mystery Party

A mystery party and dance will be held tonight by Kathrina L. Beedle Tent, D. of V., in Brattle Hall, Cambridge. Invitations have been extended to various patriotic organizations and the Harvard Radio School.

LUNT HAS KEEN CHARACTER SENSE

By FREDERICK JOHNS.

When you see Alfred Lunt in "A Country Cousin" you would be willing to wager he was born on Beacon Hill within the sphere of influence of the sacred codfish, that he knows S. Hooper Hooper so well he calls him "Hoop" and that he graduated from that famous institution of learning so largely patronized by the Lowells, the Cabots, the Lawrences and the Endicotts.

And the truth is that he is a Finn.

In "A Country Cousin" Mr. Lunt plays George Tewksberry Reynolds, a bowling swell.

He is so convinced that he can afford to be rude to people he doesn't know, just like some Boston society people at the opera who bump into strangers and don't even apologize, because they don't belong to the set that has to be apologized to.

When it became necessary for George Tyler to obtain an actor for this role, he took Miss Alexandra Carlisle into his confidence and together they made the rounds of the New York theatres and examined files of programs for ten years back.

By chance they attended a performance of "Arabia" in which Laura Hope Crews was being starred. In a few minutes they knew that they had their man. Lunt was playing a Washington Square artist. The star and manager agreed that he had an extraordinary sense of character, and a fine technical equipment, all of which was needed for the difficult male role in "The Country Cousin."

It was not difficult to secure him and then they discovered that their typical American aristocrat was a Scandinavian.

Mr. Lunt has played in three languages. For six years he played Ibsen in Finland in the Finnish tongue. He was leading man for Mrs. Lily Langtry in one of her recent plays and for Margaret Anglin in her production of Greek tragedies in San Francisco.

NATION FACING GREAT COAL SHORTAGE

By D. M. EDWARDS.
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Washington, April 24.—The country faces a coal shortage of 75,000,000 tons next Winter, it is announced at the Fuel Administration.

New England has been asked to cut all the firewood that can be gathered against a fuel famine. Similar requests will go to other sections of the country.

Conservation measures are being mapped out by Dr. Harry A. Garfield today in an attempt to provide as nearly ideal a fuel supply as possible.

Officials of the administration are now in New York city conferring with the local and State administrations to induce all the lesser industries to conserve to their fullest extent. Similar steps are being taken in Pittsburgh, Buffalo, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Richmond, Atlanta, Savannah and New Orleans, in an effort to save the 75,000,000 tons by preventing all waste of fuel and by inducing factory and utility plants to make every ton of coal produce its utmost heat.

The American Society of Mechanical Engineers, the American Society of Electrical Engineers, the American Society of Mining Engineers and the American Society of Civil Engineers have been called to the aid of the head of the conservation division of the Fuel Administration, P. H. Noyes.

They have assured him that they believe they will be able to guarantee a saving of 40,000,000 on this shortage by strict supervision in all the steam plants of the country, even those operating war industries.

Isolated power stations and electric light stations that supply only limited localities will be compelled to cut down their current supply or to make arrangements for obtaining their current from larger electrical units. Within the last twenty-four hours orders have been sent to a dozen or more lesser industries to curtail their use of coal to the absolute minimum.

Organ Recital by Gleason

Harold Gleason, director of Boston Music School Settlement, will give an organ recital at Wheaton College chapel Tuesday, under auspices of the Bureau of Vocational Opportunities, of which Miss Catherine Filene of Boston is director.

TWO PER CENT DECREASE IN SOWED OATS ACREAGE

Washington, April 24.—The acreage of oats sowed in the Fall of 1917, for harvest in 1918, is estimated by the Department of Agriculture to be about 2,372,000 acres, as compared with 2,424,000 acres of Winter-sown oats harvested in 1917. This represents a decrease of about 2 per cent.

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Boys' Top Coats
$1.75, $2.00 to $4.75
Boys' Wash Suits
45c, 95c, $1.45
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35c and 50c
Men's Shirts
50c, 75c, 85c, $1.00, $1.50
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95c

Same with rubber heels,

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Men's Basket Ball Shoes, with suction soles,

$1.95

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CHINESE JOINS U. S. MEDICAL CORPS HERE

Eng Fook of Salem Is Assigned to Duty at Camp Devens Base Hospital

The Chinese are joining the army. At the army recruiting station, No. 2 Tremont row, Eng Fook of Salem passed a good physical examination and was assigned to duty at Base Hospital No. 7, Camp Devens.

Fook expressed himself as pleased to get into the army. He was born in San Francisco and is thirty five.

"Many Chinese would join the army or navy, if only some one would tell them more about the service," he said.

The following enlistments were registered:

Engineers—Joseph Cincotta, No. 124 West Emerson street, Melrose; Walter H. Smart, R. F. D. No. 2, Framingham.

Coast Artillery Corps—John F. Reynolds, No. 28 Valtine street, Boston; John H. Corcoran, Jr., No. 50 Lexington avenue, Cambridge; Edmund S. Gould, No. 25 Band street, Lynn; Rodolph E. Larivee, No. 7 Hoggs court, Lynn; George J. O'Shea, No. 16 Whittier street, Lynn.

Signal Enlisted Reserve Corps—Henry A. Magnuson, No. 3 Tremont street, Cambridge; Merrill C. Patten, No. 52 Buffum street, Salem; Frank D. Kendall, No. 28 Washington street, Winchester.

Infantry—Toni Kozchuk, No. 93 Poplar street, Boston.

Quartermasters' Corps—Matthew Celozzi, No. 49 Beach street, Milford.

Cavalry—Frank J. Beaudoin, No. 74 Water street, Lawrence.

Field Artillery—George T. Hughes, No. 107 [illegible] street, [illegible]; [illegible] No. 30 Hayes street, Cambridge; George O. Witchley, Camden, N. Y.

Medical—Ralph S. Goodwin, No. 43 Broad[illegible] street, [illegible] C. Hamilton, No. 47 Thomp[illegible]; Robert R. Nichols, No. 742 [illegible], Springfield; Raymond C. Whitney, [illegible], N. H.; Harold C. Bean, [illegible] Winthrop Brown, Jr., No. 25 Common street, Belmont; Frank A. Korman, No. 23 [illegible] avenue, Roxbury; Earl A. Anderson, No. 15 Conway street, Roslindale; Chester G. Wheaton, No. 27 Cotton street, Roslindale.

Bugler—Joseph M. Carthell, Leavitt street, Hingham.

Regular navy—Walter Mildon Knox, No. 18 Oak st., Saco, Me.

Naval Reserves—Henry Miles Hodgkins, No. 65 Auburn st., Saugus; Robert Kramer, No. 20 Sheffield rd., Winchester; Frederick Arthur Grant, No. 85 Ford st., Brockton; Thomas Courtney, No. 408 Trapelo rd., Waverly; George William Griffin, No. 10 Smith st., Fitchburg; Bernard John Lynch, No. 46 Fulton st., Lawrence; Charles Bossardt, No. 494 Watertown st., Newtonville; Leon Bertram Preifer, No. 17-19 Elm st., Springfield; Francis Gregory Lee, No. 255 North Beacon st., Brighton; Charles Austin Farwell, No. 52 High st., Turners Falls; Arthur Francis Bean, No. 164 Middlesex av., Medford; Andrew Joseph Ladoux, No. 5 Chrome st., Worcester; William Everett Ladoux, No. 53 Fox st., Worcester; James Henry Powers, No. 365 Maple st., Holyoke; Frank William Daniels, No. 187 Manchester st., Manchester, N. H.; James Waring Anderson, Montague; Clayton Truman Egleston, Westfield, Mass.; John Edward Bartles, No. 1246 Hancock st., Quincy; Wilson Matthew McKinnon, No. 8 Gayland st., Roxbury; Richard Seammon Moody, Greenland, N. H.; Joseph Thomas Ralph, No. 155 Putnam av., Cambridge; John Daniel Talbot, No. 13 Castle st., Ware; William Orloff, No. 10 Boardman st., Salem; Ferdinand Vincent LeClere, No. 84 West st., Ware; Thomas Casey, Jr., No. 218 West Eighth st., South Boston; John Flaherty, No. 5 Delaware pl., Brighton; Thomas James Hennessy, No. 16 Jamaica rd., Brookline; Howard Richmond Fairbanks, No. 181 School st., Groveland; Frederick Charles Riley, No. 14 Elmer st., Cambridge; Thomas Jenkinson, No. 6 Washington sq., Worcester; George William Pottie, Jr., No. 3286 Washington st., Jamaica Plain; Fred Murray, No. 1255 Elm st., Manchester, N. H.; Clifford Leslie Diamond, No. 183 Franklin av., Chelsea; Arthur Proctor Duckworth, No. 29 Hamburg st., Boston.

Tried to Hug Nieces at Wife's Funeral Is Charge

Pittsfield, April 24.—That Edward Enkelmann, at the age of seventy-nine, showed an inclination to hug his nieces attending as mourners his wife's funeral, while the services were going on, was included in evidence given in the Superior Court here in the attempt being made by nieces to break his will.

Enkelmann left an estate of $12,000 but left only $1 to his nieces and the rest to his housekeeper, Mrs. Hulda Girard, with whom he lived for six weeks prior to his death. Prior to that time he lived with his nieces.

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Lieut. Young Treasurer of Chelsea Army Branch Before Going to Europe

Lieutenant Stella Young is twenty-two years old. She lived with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Young, at No. 117 Library street, Chelsea. She was born in Everett. She was educated in the Shurtleff School, Chelsea. Ten years ago she became a member of the Salvation Army and up to the time of her assignment to go to France acted as treasurer of the Chelsea branch of the organization.

ALL DETROIT TROLLEYS ARE HALTED BY STRIKE

Detroit, April 24.—Practically every street car line in the city is tied up as a result of a walkout of all motormen and conductors early today. Practically one-third of Detroit's factory and shop employes failed to report for work. It is estimated that out of 300,000 workmen and clerks, fully 100,000 were idle. Many of the factories making munitions were working with less than 50 per cent. of their forces.

CHELSEA ARMY LASS BRAVES GAS, SHELLS

Salvationists Prove Heroic Along American Front and Succor the Wounded

By BERT FORD.

International News Service Correspondent.

With the American Army in France, April 24.—Heroines as well as heroes are emerging from the fighting on that part of the western front held by the Americans.

Six American girls—all ensigns in the Salvation Army canteen back of the trenches—had a narrow escape from chlorine gas as well as from shells during the battle of Seicheprey.

Gas shells and bombs of large calibre were hissing and roaring all about, but despite these dangers the workers pleaded with their commander to be allowed to stay and serve hot coffee and cocoa to the men coming out of the first line trenches.

Although the commander admired the pluck of the girls, he was compelled by his duty to order them out of the village. Some of the girls told me how they felt to be under shell fire and near the field of conflict.

WORK CLOSE TO FIGHTING.

All were cool, and army officers are loud in their praise of them. The daring of these Salvation Army girls is a proud record. The people in the United States are not aware of the dangers, nor how close these workers are to the zone of battle and to the Yanks in "steel stetsons," as the men are coming to be known.

Miss Irene McIntyre, a graduate of Mount Vernon College, New York, said that Friday night was the first in more than a week that the girls did not sleep in dugouts. The German batteries were "rather quiet" that night.

"On Thursday evening we had decided to go to our own beds for a change," she said. "We were billeted in a quaint old cement house formerly owned by the Mayor, and the only one intact in the village. Downstairs was occupied chiefly by hens and cows, while my sister, myself and other girls occupied the upper apartments.

"In the house were Gladys Myrtle Turkington of South Manchester, Conn., Stella Young of Chelsea, Mass., Gertrude Simmons and Violet Williams of Racine, Wis., who had arrived from the States about a week before.

DON THEIR GAS MASKS.

"We were awakened about 4 o'clock Monday by the ringing of the old church bell. The shelling had started and one of the first ones struck right under the clock. We grabbed our gas masks and put them on, and it was not a minute too soon for we certainly got a whiff of the horrible. The girls were not frightened. They all took it as a lark, and it was certainly funny to see them sitting on the high French beds with their masks on.

"After a while we began to wonder why no gas signal had been sounded, but in a short time the all clear signal was given. The girls finally got restless and wanted to take off their masks. I agreed to take mine off long enough to get a flashlight. The other girls helped me to take it off, but no sooner had I done so than I got another whiff. Then more shells came along.

ORDERED AWAY FROM DANGER.

By daylight ambulances bearing wounded soldiers began to appear around Dead Man's Curve. I wanted to stay and serve refreshments to the wounded soldiers, but the officer in charge of the town held that it was no fit place for women. We got out in a buckboard driven by a sergeant. It was an exciting ride too. The shells were bursting everywhere.

"The soldiers hated to see us go. They certainly showed great courage in saving our baggage. They sent us away for a rest, but we feel like fishes out of water."

Miss McIntyre at this point asked for corroboration and her companions gave hearty assent.

Miss McIntyre had worked for several months among the soldiers back of the first-line trenches baking pies and doughnuts for the men and serving hot coffee. In her idle moments she placed wild violets on the graves of the dead.

The Salvation Army canteens are swarming with men every time the troops are on the move.

Other workers in this branch are Gladys McIntyre and Coria Van Sorden, the latter being a member of a wealthy New York family.

A NEW ENGLAND HERO

Private David Griggs of Easthampton, Ct., distinguished himself in the battle of Seicheprey by carrying ammunition through three lines of barrage fire, and today he is the favorite among his comrades.

It is not alone his bravery that makes Griggs so much beloved but his modesty as well. A Red Cross field agent told this story about the Yankee soldier today:

"Griggs, who is only nineteen years old, was carried into our canteen slightly wounded. After he had rested he began to tell of the courage of the others. But he said nothing about himself."

Griggs' comrade, Conners, referred to Griggs as the "bravest kid in our squad."

"He didn't have to say anything about himself," he declared. "What he did was just like him. He went through three barrages carrying ammunition. He didn't want to quit when he came to after being bowled over by a big shell. They couldn't scare him."

LIEUT. STELLA YOUNG of Chelsea, Salvation Army woman who proved a heroine under gas and shell fire in the battle of Seicheprey in which the Germans were repulsed by Yankees.



Miss Young and her gallant companions are mentioned today in the story by Bert Ford, until recently staff reporter of the AMERICAN, and now with the U. S. army in France.

303D IN BATTLE IN WOODS AT SHIRLEY

Two Battalions Emerge From Canvass Cities for Struggle in Heavy Downpour

By WILLIAM FLYNN.

Camp Devens, Ayer, April 24.—Two battalions of the 303d Infantry, the New York regiment of the 76th Division, fought an all day sham battle in the woods at Shirley today after spending last night away from their barracks under canvas. Each man carried 100 rounds of blank ammunition, and the rattle of rifle fire echoed through the outskirts of the cantonment all morning.

The First Battalion, commanded by Captain Parker Tuck of Lowell, spent the night in North Shirley and the Second Battalion, under Captain Robert Winson, Jr., of Boston, encamped near the trenches beyond the base hospital. A soaking rain drenched both camps, but the soldiers withstood the exposure in excellent fashion.

Shortly after reveille today sealed orders were opened by each of the battalion commanders, and the men move into action. An advance patrol of the first battalion discovered the advance guard of the second battalion and opened fire. The fire was returned, and then both battalions were thrown into the "fray."

[illegible] ROOM FOR "ROOKIES"

The first battalion was scheduled to be relieved late this afternoon by the third battalion of the same regiment and the second by a provisional battalion, both of which will spend the night in pup tents and be relieved tomorrow by the first and second battalions.

An unofficial communication received at division headquarters today stated that the 2,[illegible] negroes who were due here from the South during the five days commencing Friday would not come to this cantonment at all, and the officers who were sent from here to return with them are awaiting further orders.

Officials here stated that there would hardly be room to accommodate the colored "rookies" at this cantonment, and they will probably be sent to another camp that offers better accommodations.

Several hundred men in the Depot Brigade who came here in the last draft were shifted into barracks of the infantry regiments of the division today, to make room for the new draftees that arrive here during the latter part of this week and the first of next.

TO GUIDE MAINE MEN.

Twelve officers from this cantonment have been ordered to report to the adjutant-general of the State of Maine at Augusta tomorrow and be assigned by him to the various draft quotas which they are to bring here. The officers included first lieutenants Charles H. Crowell and George L. Bernier and second lieutenants Ellis J. Hardsley, John M. Kingsley, Robert P. Osborne, Ebene[illegible] Ostugren, Marshall W. Pierce and Clinton E. Sherwood of the 1st Infantry, first lieutenants William T. Kilborn, Q. M. C., and first lieutenants Hammond Barnes, 303d Infantry, [illegible] H. Corwin and Edward J. Owens.

A report that there is not sufficient clothing equipment for the entire [illegible] division is denied at division headquarters.

1,200 Stars in Malden Flag

Malden will have a municipal service flag containing 1,200 stars as the result of action by the city council when an appropriation for the purpose of a flag was made. It will be flown in front of City Hall, Malden square.

DENIAL BY CREEL AT TRIAL OF EDITORS

Publicity Chairman Says He Never Approved of Articles in "The Masses"

By International News Service.

New York, April 24.—George Creel, chairman of the committee on public information, denied at the trial of the editors of The Masses today that he had ever by word or in writing approved any of the matter appearing in the magazine which subsequently caused the indictment of the editors for obstructing enlistment.

The testimony directly contradicted evidence introduced by the defense that Merrill Rogers, business manager of the radical magazine, had showed Creel the articles in question and he had approved them.

Referring to an advertisement inserted by Mrs. J. Sergeant Cram against "killing or encouraging others to kill," Creel said:

"I told Mr. Rogers that the advertisement was treasonable. Mr. Rogers told me the magazine [illegible] had gone to the printer. He also told me the ad did not represent the attitude of the editors or publishers of the magazine.

"I told Mr. Rogers it was the duty of all Americans to accept the war as a fact. He then informed me [illegible] and form of the magazine would be altered and that the paper would no longer continue to oppose the war."

Creel admitted that he had once contributed an article to The Masses but said that was before the United States entered the war.

In the Morning

TUDOR COFFEE

Tudor Coffee is ideal for those who cannot drink ordinary coffee, as it is mellowed with age before roasting.

Tudor Coffee is endorsed by Prof. Lewis B. Allen of Westfield, by Mrs. Ida Bailey Allen of "Good Housekeeping" magazine, and by leading physicians.

Although the price is a trifle higher, it is worth the difference when you consider the health and happiness of the family.

Every package bearing the Tudor trade-mark is guaranteed satisfactory. Dealers are authorized to return the money (without even the return of goods) upon request of the buyer.

Try Tudor Coffee Today!

ALEXANDER H. BILL & CO.
BOSTON

DOLLAR THURSDAY

These days when everybody's anxious to be thrifty and make their dollars go the farthest possible, Dollar Thursday at Houghton & Dutton's has become an all-important event. It comes only once a month, and we make it a point, by sacrificing profits, to offer positively the best bargains and the most for a dollar bill that it is possible to obtain. The merchandise is of dependable quality only and you will actually wonder how we can offer you so much for one dollar. Don't miss coming to this store tomorrow.

Look for the Green Signs. They Designate the Dollar Items in Every Department

Tremont Street — Beacon Street

HOUGHTON & DUTTON CO.

We Give and Redeem Legal and Profit-Sharing Brown Stamps

Hon. W. T. A. Fitzgerald will speak in the interests of the THIRD LIBERTY LOAN at our Bond Booth, Street Floor, Thursday P. M. at 5 O'Clock

13 Cakes Olivilo Soap $1 — Regular value 10c cake. Drug Dept.—2d Floor

Man Tailored Dress Skirts $1 — Wool checks, white linen and gabardine made with pockets, very well tailored. But now, you'll pay much more later; values up to $1.50. Third Floor

$1.50 Lingerie Waists $1 — Lingerie waists trimmed with laces and embroidery. Waists made of heavier material in pretty colored stripes, with low collars. Dimity in corded voile has assorted colored ties. Third Floor

$1.30 Worth of Canned Goods $1 — 1 can string beans, 1 can corn, 1 can beets, 1 can tomatoes, 1 can peas, 1 can lima beans, all for. Grocery Dept.—Second Floor

$1.30 Worth of Tea and Coffee $1 — 1 lb. 40c Ceylon Tea, 2 lbs. 35c Mulberry Coffee. Grocery Dept.—Second Floor

2 Pairs 69c Extra Size Drawers $1 — Top of cambric with deep ruffle of hamburg and pin tucks. Third Floor

$1.50 Gowns $1 — Several pretty styles in nainsook, white or pink, plenty of large sizes, daintily trimmed and embroidered. Third Floor

Season's Smartest and Most Becoming

$2.98 Untrimmed Hats $1

Your choice of over twenty fetching new shapes. Shiny Liseres, Jap straws and pipings, in all fashionable colors. A value which is unduplicated in Boston today and one of the best values we ever offered.

We Trim Hats Free

Millinery Dept.—Second Floor

6 Yds. Unbleached Cotton Cloth, $1.00 — 36 to 40 inches wide. Today's retail value $1.[illegible] Street Floor

4 Yds. Fine Berkeley Cambric, $1.00 — No. 60, full bleached, made and finished for ladies' undergarments. Today's retail value $1.[illegible] Street Floor

2 Yds. Bleached Sheeting, $1.00 — 2½ yards wide, heavy weight, fine count. Today's retail value $1.[illegible] Street Floor

Men's $1.75 Madras and Jap Crepe Shirts, $1 — Madras and Japanese Crepe, sizes 14 to 17. Street Floor

5 Prs. Men's Cotton Half Hose for $1.00 — Color, gray. Sizes 9½ to 11½. Street Floor

2 Boys' 79c Cotton Night Robes, $1.00 — [illegible] of three robes for Thursday, sizes 12 to 1[illegible] Street Floor

Men's $1.35 Union Suits for $1.00 — Nainsook and ribbed, sleeveless, knee lengths and short sleeve, ankle length. Good value $1.35. Street Floor

Men's $1.50 to $2.00 Slippers, $1.00 — A mixed variety of styles and leathers, a very fine lot to select from. Street Floor

Two Pairs 69c Bloomers for $1.00 — Made of good quality crepe in a large assortment of colors. Third Floor

3 Pairs Women's Mercerized Hosiery for $1 — Leather and popular boot colors. Irregulars of a standard [illegible] grade. Street Floor

Women's Silk Hosiery, Pair $1.00 — Black, white and colors, irregulars of our $1.15 grade. Street Floor

3 Pairs Women's Extra Size Vests for $1.00 — Fine ribbed cotton, low neck and short sleeves, regular 50c value. Street Floor

$1.50 Scrim Dutch Curtains $1 — Sheer scrim hemstitched, with wide filet lace insertion, ready to hang. Pair $1.00. Fourth Floor

$1.50 Scotch Lace Curtains $1 — A good assortment of new Spring patterns both plain and figured centres with wide borders and overlocked edges. Pair $1.00. Fourth Floor

Women's $1.50 to $3 Low Shoes, Pair $1 — Pumps and oxfords [illegible]. Street Floor

Girls' $1.50 Gingham Wash Dresses $1 — In plaids, stripes and checks. Several [illegible]. Third Floor

$1.65 Kitchen Chair $1 — [illegible] Fifth Floor

5 Yds. Percales $1 — 36 in. wide, mostly light grounds, best styles for shirtings and wrappers. Today's retail value $1.19. Street Floor

4 Yards Silk Muslin for $1 — Suitable for waists, dresses, slips and fine underwear [illegible]. Street Floor

3 Square Yards Prolino Linoleum $1 — 2 yards wide, regular [illegible]. Thursday only, as [illegible] limited amount, while it lasts, 3 sq. yds. for. A bargain we cannot offer again. Fourth Floor

3 Yards Rugoleum $1 — 1 yard wide, looks like genuine oak flooring. Just the thing to surround your rug with or an old floor. Regular price [illegible]. Thursday only, 3 yards for. Fourth Floor

SALE of COATS

150 Stunning Spring Coats—an offering that exceeds in point of extreme value-giving every Sale of its kind held this season. Come here early—expecting to find unusual Style, Quality and Tailoring.



Colors — *In All New Blues And High Shades Now Popular*

$15

Materials — *Velours—Tweeds, Serges and Other Fashionable Fabrics*

Positively Greatest Values This Spring

Every model included, features the very newest in style-detail, the most desirable materials and workmanship of unusual perfection.

Choice of many distinctive styles, belted or plain—offered at price savings of the most unusual character. Don't miss this opportunity.

No Charge for Alterations

At the New **Bedell** *Fashion Shop*

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Finest Fresh Whole Milk Creamery

EGGS "Pine Grove" Strictly Fresh Warranted 44c dz

Also "Wm. Elliott" Extra Fancy, Doz. 47c

60c Value Elsewhere **Teas** lb. 45c — Oolong, Eng. Break., Mxd Tea, lb. 45c, Ceylon, lb. 49c

30c Value Elsewhere **Coffee** lb. 21c — "Golden Rose," Pleasing Blend, Popular Prices.

Evap. Milk All Kinds Tall Can 12½c

Campb Soup Tomato 11c Other Kinds Can 10c

Crisco Regular 35c Value Shortening 1-LB. CAN 30c

Quaker Oats Large Pkg. 25c 1½ Lb. Pkg 10c

Karo Syrup Regular Flavor (Blue Label) 13c

Karo Syrup Maple Flavor (Green Label) 17c

Jiffy-Jell All Flavors Pkg. 11c

Lenox Soap 6 Bars 29c

Pearline . . 4 Pkgs. 19c

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RELIEF SOCIETY OF WARD 18 TO MEET

Tomorrow evening at the Dorchester Court House, Field's Corner, there will be a meeting of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Society of Ward 18. President Daniel T. O'Connell will be the presiding officer. Special arrangements will be made for the coming theatre party of the organization which takes place at the Hamilton Theatre on Sunday evening, May 5.

The organization will take action regarding the death of Frank O. Kane, formerly of 16 Puritan avenue, the first young man of the Ward to be killed. He was a member of the Machine Gun Company of the 104th Regiment. Mrs. Robert Kane, the mother, is one of the prominent members of the society.

Jordan Marsh Company

Notes Around the Store

Have you started your Victory Garden?

* * *

Our Agricultural Expert is giving lectures and actual demonstrations of seed planting in real soil every day at 11 and 3, on the 7th floor, New Building.

The little tots will want a "cool cut" for the hair with the coming of warm weather. They can choose from 15 different styles in our Children's Hairdressing Shop.

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The pretty new Tea Rose shade is featured in Early Saxon Notepaper and Corresopndence Cards. As occasionally happens, the light tints are even more favored than white for notepaper at present.

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A handy thing to have on a jaunt through the woods is a Pocket Compass. We have a very good assortment in the watch case stye, with luminous dials.

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Don't fail to see, in our Washington street window, the display of trophies from the French and Belgian battlefields secured by David Wark Griffith on his famous trip to film the scenes in "Hearts of the World"—now showing at the Majestic.

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A valuable contribution to our great cause is the time you spend making Surgical Dressings. Why not come in and talk it over with the nurse in charge at the New England committee's branch station on the 6th floor, New Building.

With the concert season drawing to a close, you will appreciate music in your home more than ever. Our deferred payment plan on Victrolas will be of interest to you.

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Morning shoppers not only reap the benefit of comfortable buying in a less crowded store, but they also have first choice among special values.

Jordan Marsh Company

ARMY AND NAVY AMERICAN

DEMOCRACY — BOSTON, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24 — LIBERTY

BIGGER PAPER TO GIVE NEWS OF SAILORS

By PAUL F. WHELTON.

Aboard the Receiving Ship at Boston, April 24.—So complete was the success of the first number of the Commonwealth "Pier-o-scope," the ship's paper, that the second issue, appearing on board ship May 4, on Saturday, will contain thirty-two pages, twelve more than in the initial number.

Following the request for "copy," all sorts and descriptions of manuscript have been turned in at the desk of the editors.

A number of other changes will be made in the May 4 issue, one of which is in the makeup o fthe cover. The new cover will ba in red, white and blue, and in the two upper corners will appear crossed flags of the allied nations.

The new magazine went big with the "gobs" and officers aboard ship, and now each section is vieing with the nex tin an effort to have the most news regarding its members.

A new feature, "Advice to the Lovelorn," is expected to prove a popular addition to future editions and some choice correspondence will undoubtedly be received in the editorial sanctum when it is learned that there is a healer of hearts within reach. On the q. t. the editor of the "A. t. t. L." column is also the editor in chief, William F. Glass.

Editor Glass, with Business Manager L. D. Williams and Circulation Manager A. W. Wilson, are not averse to tossing together a little type once in a while. Incidentally all the other work of the sheet is done by the trio.

As many blue jackets who arrive on board ship do not seem to have a clear understanding or conception of the money order routine aboard ship the editors have deemed an explanation as to the procedure necessary in sending money home on order a timely feature and the attache of the money order department will be saved many individual explanations through the appearance of the article in the next edition.

THREE FITCHBURG BOYS AWARDED COMMISSIONS

Fitchburg, April 24.—Three Fitchburg boys have been notified that they won commissions as lieutenants at the Camp Devens training school. Edwin Goodridge, athlete and teacher; Harris Cutler, son of Myron Cutler, an engraver, and Osgood Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Perry, Pleasant street, were awarded bars. They are home on furloughs.

MALDEN SOLDIERS ARE AFTER HOME TEAM

Malden boys in the 301st Regiment at Camp Devens have sent a challenge to Malden for a baseball game to be played in Malden some Saturday afternoon. Malden High is attempting to rearrange its schedule so as to play the Camp Devens boys, but all of its Saturdays are at present scheduled for league games.

Warns Young Girls of Conduct with Uniformed Men

Providence, April 24.—Young girls will have to meet their soldier and sailor friends other than about these parts as a result of a ruling of Judge H. H. Gorham of Sixth District Court, who refused to continue to place the girls on probation as requested by a woman probation officer. After hearing the story of two girls who said they had a "wild night" with two youths in uniform, Judge Gornam said:

"I will not place these girls on probation. The government will be placing a black mark around our city if we don't put a stop to this practice."

A fine of $10 and costs went with the lecture.

INFANTRY WILL GET BATTLE PRACTICE

By WILLIAM FLYNN.

Camp Devens, Ayer, April 24.—"Boston's Own" and the other three infantry regiments of the Seventy-sixth Division are to take part in the competitive field manoeuvres at this cantonment during the first week in May, and arrangements for the military meet are being made by a board of infantry brigade and regimental commanders, of which Brigadier-General F. D. Evens is president.

The tournament will include practically all of the open battle manoeuvres that have constituted most of the training of the infantry regiments during the past few weeks, and will consist in part of combat firing, advance and rear guard formations, outposts, scout duty, front, rear and flank attacks and skirmishing.

The regiments will be judged by a board of umpires, consisting of Colonel Percy Arnold of the 301st headquarters trains, and Lieutenant-Colonels M. N. Falls of "Boston's Own," Charles A. Romeyn of the "Old Colony" Regiment, George W. Stuart of the 303d Infantry and William S. Sinclair of the 304th Infantry.

It was unofficially reported here today that dogs are to be trained at this cantonment to carry messages for the division on the battlefields of France. Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Croft, head of the division schools, has received a dog that was promptly named "Hopeless." The dog has the reputation of being a "war hound," but the colonel so far has evaded all questions as to what is to be done with him.

Major-General Harry F. Hodges and thirty members of his staff, with friends, went to Boston today to attend the opening game of the Braves as the guests of Percy D. Haughton. All of the general's orderlies are now wearing side arms.

21 BAY STATE MEN QUALIFY AS OFFICERS

By International News Service.

Washington, April 24.—The list of men who have qualified for appointment as second lieutenants in the third officers' training school at Camp Gordon, Ga., has been given out by the adjutant general. The men who have qualified will be carried on the eligible list and appointed as vacancies occur. The following from New England are in the list:

Bartlett, William H., 368 Highland avenue, Quincy; field artillery.
Bowler, Daniel, 7 Kingston street, Lawrence; field artillery.
Chesbro, Philip G., 322 Massachusetts avenue, Boston; infantry.
Evans, Vernon W., 6 Lincoln avenue, Saugus; field artillery.
Fitzpatrick, Francis X., 8 Oriole street, Roxbury; field artillery.
Gillis, John A., 5 Mount Vernon street, Gloucester; infantry.
Howe, George C., Holliston; field artillery.
Kane, William H., 12 Cherry street, West field; infantry.
MacCormack, Daniel A., 1046 Saratoga street, East Boston; infantry.
McDonnell, Henry G., 812 Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester; infantry.
McGee, William J., 250 Sutton street, North Andover; infantry.
MacMahon, Thomas J., 141 West street, Holyoke; infantry.
O'Brien, Charles A., 110 Kennaberry street, Worcester.
O'Leary, John J., Windsor Locks, Ct.; infantry.
Pigeon, Alfred H., 17 East Main street, Ware; infantry.
Phelps, Harold H., 45 Osborne terrace, Springfield; infantry.
Poole, Norman C., 580 West Water street, Rockland; field artillery.
Regan, Francis B., 16 Regan court, Malden; infantry.
Roberts, Mark A., 798 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester; infantry.
Rapp, Alfred M., 67 Park street, Turners Falls, Mass.; field artillery.
Stuart, Frank J., 89 Florence street, Everett; infantry.
Todd, Royce E., 11 Bethel street, Springfield; infantry.
Travis, Norman O., 100 Park avenue, Winthrop; infantry.
Veazey, John W., Groveton, N. H.; infantry.

BASEBALL FUND FOR CAMP DEVENS GROWS

Continued from First Page.

and it is a case of first come first served so far as accommodations are concerned.

The afternoon program will open with a band concert by a military band from 2:30 until 3 p. m., the game to start promptly at 3 p. m.

The use of the entire grounds, grandstands, dressing rooms, etc., has been donated free to the fund by Mr. Hapgood, who, as the business head of the "Home of Big Things," has always been on the side of progress, and in holding out the helping hand to the Camp Devens baseball fund is living up to his reputation.

The Boston Elevated has been asked to provide extra car service on Sunday afternoon to handle the large crowd which will undoubtedly come out to the first Sunday baseball game in the history of conservative Boston.

High military officers will attend. A special detail of police will be furnished by Captain Hall of the Brighton station to see to it that Sunday baseball can be as orderly and quiet as any other recognized Sunday entertainment.

AND STILL THE FUND GROWS.

Boston's reply to the Boston AMERICAN'S appeal for funds to create the Camp Devens Baseball Fund is rolling up in the form of dollars, and the men at Camp Devens are delighted with the prospect of having there a properly equipped baseball field and grandstand.

Lieutenant Robert C. Deming, divisional athletic officer at Ayer, who was appointed official custodian of the fund by Major-General Hodges, came into the AMERICAN office today and said that the boys of the Seventy-sixth Division were in high spirits at the success of the fund and the close proximity of its completion.

And it is up to the people of New England to keep this baseball fund jumping and not disappoint those men in khaki who are going to keep the Germans from getting them.

MORE MONEY NEEDED.

Every mail brings in contributions to this fund but more are needed. For instance the AMERICAN is in receipt of the following letter from H. H. Lennon, recording secretary of the Boston Branch of the A. & P. Managers' Association:

"Treasurer B. A. Camp Devens' Baseball Fund.

"Dear sir—The Boston Branch of the above-named association, at a meeting held April 17, 1918, voted unanimously to donate 10 per cent. of the proceeds of the second grand ball and May party which is to be held in Paul Revere Hall, Boston, Mass."

More money is also coming in from Manager Frank Meagher of the Globe Theatre, who has given to the fund 10 per cent. of the gross receipts of the theatre for this week.

The big spectacle, "Tarzan of the Apes," is playing at the Globe after an extended run in New York and people have been crowding to see this wonder of motion pictures in large numbers.

FILMED IN SOUTH AMERICA.

This photoplay is quite out of the ordinary in setting and treatment, having been made at an expense of $300,000 in the jungles of South America by a big company, which, with several wild animals, was transported there for the purpose.

The story deals with the fanciful life of Tarzan, who, when a babe, was stolen from his mother by an ape and taken into the jungle where he was brought up by her and became in many respects as wild an animal as his foster-brothers.

When a young and beautiful girl strays into the forest and is saved from a lion by Tarzan, who kills the beast and carries the girl up into the tree tops, he becomes again a man and falls in love with the girl whom he has saved.

The play is replete with thrills, and as the pictures were all made in the real heart of a real wilderness many miles up the Amazon, and as real lions and tigers are slain before the camera, it offers an evening of unprecedented interest.

The animal studies alone, which were made of the most ferocious of all wild beasts at home in the jungle, by camera men, concealed in iron barred cages, furnish a reason for seeing this play.

A slight mistake in the amount of the collection taken at the Red Sox-Athletics game last Saturday appeared in the list. The amount taken at that game was $359.27 instead of $357.39, as announced.

A word as to the right way to make your contributions to this fund:

DO NOT MAKE ANY CHECKS FOR THE FUND PAYABLE TO THE BOSTON AMERICAN. MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO ROBERT C. DEMING, TREASURER, WHO IS IN CHARGE OF THE FUND. THE AMERICAN IS ACTING SIMPLY AS A TRANSFER AGENT.

The latest list of contributions:

Previously acknowledged	$797.18
Collected at Red Sox game, Fenway Park	359.27
Collected on streets of Webster and at Steinberg Theatre	60.36
Collected at Morning Glorie Ball, Charlestown	21.59
Webster Social Club, Webster	4.65
W. R. Pattangall, Augusta, Me.	5.00
Collected at Old Colony Driving Club, Weymouth	10.75
Total	$1,258.80

Picks Auto Truck on Basis of Best Value

By C. F. DONNOCKER.

Appreciating the fact that the commercial field offered unbounded opportunities for selling trucks and commercial cars, Connell & McKone of No. 532 Commonwealth avenue, Overland distributors, recently took on the distribution for Bethlehem trucks.

In speaking of conditions which prompted the firm to branch out into the commercial field, Wendall McKone, Jr., said:

"We believed that this branch of the industry offered a big field for Boston and vicinity and decided to take on a truck in keeping with the Overland car, and for this reason selected the Bethlehem truck after careful consideration of various makes. We believe this truck offers more value for the money than any other truck of its class, and that it occupies the same position in the commercial end of the industry that the Overland car does in the passenger—a quantity production which allows greater value for the money.

"Just as we look for big distribution in our passenger car models, so we expect quantity production to allow us to take care of our dealers in the Bethlehem trucks. The truck is well-known and manufactured in Allentown, Pa., by men who have been long in the business and know steel from A to Z. The trucks are made in two models, one and a quarter and two and a quarter tons. A production of 10,000 is planned this year. The plant, which occupies over twenty acres of land, is the second largest plant in the country devoted exclusively to the manufacture of trucks."

The salesrooms for the truck will be at the service station of Connell & McKone, No. 109 Brookline avenue, where ample quarters are ready for the display of the models.

Two things make the motor truck more efficient in its field than the horse and wagon—speed and range. And the lack of these two bars it from a wider field of usage. The solid rubber tires with which thousands of trucks are equipped are very satisfactory for slow speed short hauls, but they exclude all trucks from high-speed long distance work. Pneumatic equipment is now available for motor trucks in practically every kind of service, in the big tires that have been introduced by the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company.

NEW UPRIGHTS

$115 $125 $150

Equally Good Bargains in Player Pianos



Open Monday, Thursday and Saturday Evenings Till 9

No Profiteering In This Sale

THE present shortage of pianos and player-pianos is increasing the price to both the dealer and consumer. I could easily and legitimately take all the extra profits that the conditions allow and I would be legally and morally within my rights.

But—as the prices go soaring sky high I resist all temptation of profiteering and nail the old Collins Banner of "Large Sales and Small Profits" to the masthead of my "Ship of Fair Play" and keep faith with the public that always relies on J. P. Collins to sell all pianos lower than all dealers.

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These pianos are all new and were manufactured before the advance in manufacturers' costs. The cash prices put on them are about 50% of their estimated retail value, and less than it would cost to manufacture them now at present market cost of material and labor.

Special Sale of New Pianos and New Player Pianos

Latest New Gabler — Uprights and Players
Latest New Jacob Doll — Uprights and Players
New Henry F. Miller — Uprights and Players
New Hallet & Davis — Uprights and Players
Latest New Merrill — Uprights and Players
New Chickering — Uprights and Players
Latest New Briggs — Uprights and Players

New McPhail
Latest New Knabe
New Conway Player

$295	Haynes	$130
$275	Warren Bros.	$130
$300	Gilbert	$140
$350	Prescott	$170
$350	Schuman	$160
$375	Colonial	$175
$375	Mason	$260
$300	Sternberg	$125
$300	Kramer	$120

The World's Best Makes in the following list—some new, some used a little and some used more—also sale of new pianos every day.

Knabe Upt.	$60	Mason & Hamlin	$115
Behning Upt.	$40	Emerson, Upt.	[illegible]
H. F. Miller Upt.	$65	Frederick Upt.	$175
Hallet & Davis Upt.	$65	McPhail Upt.	$55
Kranich & Bach	$60	Steinberg Upt.	$30
Haynes Upt.	[illegible]	Vose Upt.	[illegible]
Chickering Upt.	$45	Knabe Ang's Pl'r.	[illegible]
Kranich & Bach	$85	Ivers & Pond Upt.	$75
Webber Upt.	$55	Steinway Upt.	$135
Huntington Upt.	$70	Webber Pianola	[illegible]
88-Note Int. Player	$165	Chickering Upt.	$70
		Doll & Son Upt.	[illegible]

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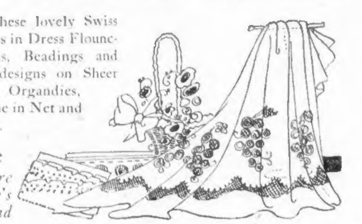
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A Beautiful Springtime Display of

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Unusual Value

The prices quoted are far less than today's importations command

Imported Flouncings

A handsome showing, including a great variety of delicately worked designs, spray, floral and others, mostly on French organdie but some very sheer and crisp Batiste and Net combinations, and splendid quality heavy Georgette.

Width 45 in., 1.50 to 3.50 a yard

Novelty Color Edgings

A superb collection of art embroideries in colors on washable chiffons. For dress trimmings and for exclusive collar and cuff sets nothing could be better.

Many widths, 1.50 and up a yard

Camisole Flouncings

The daintiest underthings, which will launder beautifully, can be made from these camisole flouncings, on sheer fabrics and wash satin. Wide ribbon beadings to match for shoulder straps. 1½ yards is ample for a camisole.

Width 12 in., 59c and up a yard

Imported Edgings

Galloons and Insertions, embroidered on sheer, featherweight materials, some heavier fabrics. French dotted and raised square patterns and dainty scalloped edge effects come in several widths and range from severely simple to intricately elaborate.

12½c to 2.00 a yard

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BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS



BRAVES AND PHILS PRY OFF LID

Boston Has Its National League Opening Today — Many Dignitaries to Attend

By NICK FLATLEY

A Brave team, almost as strange to Boston fans as the lowly position of the outfit must be to Hon. Charles Lincoln Herzog, was to open up another of those National League seasons here today, at the Home of Big Things.

These new Braves, who happen to be just above the bottom of the heap, because the Brooklyn Dodgers haven't managed to win a game yet, boast few Boston familiars. Excepting Koney and Smith, and the three regular hurlers—Nehf, Hughes and Ragan—the team is all made over.

ALL WILL BE WELL.

The Braves are a new team, just getting the Stallings' angle on things baseball, and George doesn't hesitate right now to state that they will surprise the well-known world before many weeks roll by.

The Phillies, who furnish the opposition attendant on the opening ceremonies, are not what could be called much shucks as a ball club, now that Alexander is working for the Cubs just before he joins the army.

They did manage to win two out of three from the Stallings students in Philly, but one of the wins was a fluke, more or less. They look like a somewhat easy proposition, furnished to give the Boston outfit a good start at home.

Wickland and Massey, a couple of regular outfielders, have never played a game in Boston; Powell, the other gardener, was seen here for a couple of months last season.

HERZOG PLAYS RETURN DATE.

The aforementioned Charles Lincoln is known hereabouts, of course, but hasn't represented Boston since the days when the Nationals were the Doves and even lower in the race than they are just now.

Rawlings, who plays where Johnny Evers used to cavort, was only a sub last year. Catchers Henry and Wilson have not been viewed here in Boston unys.

Despite the fact that the team is way down now, it has plenty of possibilities, much brighter ones than was the case at this time last season.

The new outfield is easily the best the Braves have ever boasted; the new infield will be good enough to pass muster anywhere, as soon as the three vets get into real shape, and Rawlings gets used to conditions.

The catching staff is one of the most capable this part of the woods has known for some time, and the three veteran pitchers form a good groundwork for better things later on.

FANS, DON'T MUFF THIS.

A Liberty Loan drive, in which Geraldine Farrar and John McCormick were expected to participate, was scheduled as an accompaniment to the march to the flagpole and the flag raising.

The day, of course, was to be marked by all the seasonal celebrations. Governor McCall was all warmed up to throw out the opening ball. State and city officials were special guests, and a score of boxes were reserved for high Army and Navy chiefs.

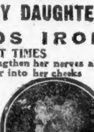
Thin Tom Hughes and Patrick Ragan were all primed for the pitching part of the afternoon, and Prendergast and Mayer in line for the Patmorans.

The game was billed to start at 3:15, which will be regular weekday time at the Home of Big Things.

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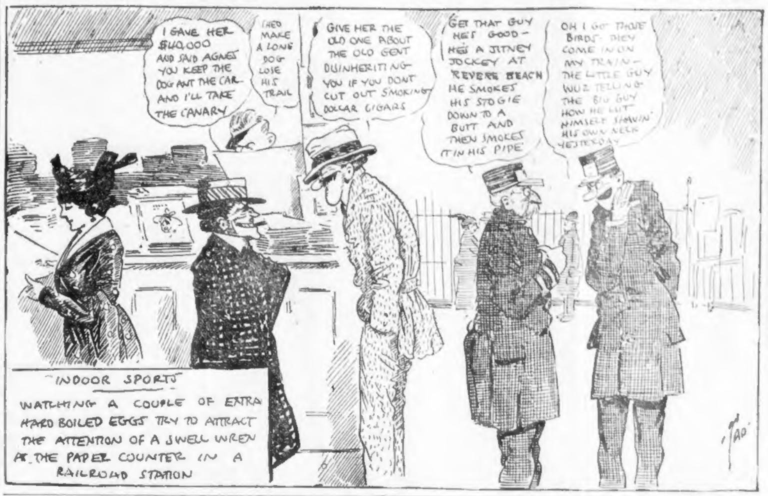
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INDOOR SPORTS — BY TAD

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RED SOX OPEN UP 4-GAME SERIES IN PHILLY

Philadelphia, Pa., April 24.—Off to a flying start at home, and tripping merrily in front of the American League race, the Red Sox were confident of continuing their success today when they opened a four-game series with Connie Mack's Athletics.

The appearance of "Stuffy" McInnis, Wally Schang, Joe Bush and Amos Strunk, old Philadelphia idols, in the Boston lineup, coupled with the fact that the Mackmen did exceptionally well in Washington, promised to attract the largest crowd of the season to Shibe Park.

Carl Mays, blonde underhand hurler, was booked to take the hillock against the Athletics. He was to be opposed by Adams.

Ruth's Pinch Hit Paves Way for Whiteman's Fly, Bodie's Muff, Sox Victory

Big Babe Ruth has tucked away his third victory of this present season. He performed the stunt, not by pitching, but by coming up to the bat in the ninth inning of the last game with the Yankees.

The Red Sox eventually won the game, 1 to 0, as much because of the hit Rescue Babe made as anything else.

It was and contest for a young left-hander, who will later be known to fame as Herbert Thormahlen. Herbert did the pitching for the hostiles, and it's a cinch he'll never toss another such game if he lives to be a thousand.

Not until there was one man out in the ultimate round did the league leaders get a single hit. A few of them walked, but that was all.

With that one dead, Amos Strunk, who brought his crushed fingers back into the pastime, slashed one between third and short. It was a clean safety.

Then Big Babe Ruth was chased in as a pinch-hitter. He smote the first ball pitched on a dead line over second base. Strunk streaked for third, and just made it by a fine hook slide.

Stuffy McInnis was purposely passed, filling the bases. Then, Ping Bodie cut into the picture, muffed Whiteman's fly, allowing Strunk to score.

All of which should not and does not detract from the fact that Bullet Joe Bush hurled a great game for the Barrow brigade, and proved again he is one of the regulars. Joseph was hit safely only three times, twice by the inevitable Ping, and had everything that a good pitcher needs and then a little more.

INDIANS SHY HURLERS, SIGN SEMI-PRO STAR

Cleveland, April 24.—Fred Thornton, a semi-professional pitcher of Columbus, Ohio, will join the Cleveland American League team in Detroit today. The club left here on its first road trip without Pitchers Morton, Groom, Enman and Wilkinson and Second Baseman Wambsganss, who are ill.

Elms vs. Henry at Newport

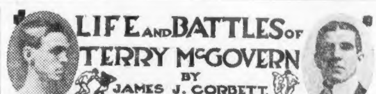
Newport, R. I., April 24.—Tommy Elms of Paterson, N. J., and Kid Henry of Newark, N. J., meet in the main event at twelve rounds, at the Rollo A. C. tonight.

Amateur League Standing

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
All Saints	2	0	1.000	Russell A.C.	1	1	.500
Hurley A.A.	2	0	1.000	Braves	0	1	.000
Adrians	1	0	1.000	Amherst	0	1	.000
Drapers	1	1	.500	Indians	0	2	.000

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

Amherst vs. Russells at North Cambridge.
Indians vs. Drapers at Ronan Park, Dorchester.
Roxbury Braves vs. All Saints at Marcella street, Roxbury.
Hurley A. A. vs. Adrians at Franklin Field.
Starting time—3:15.



LIFE AND BATTLES OF TERRY McGOVERN

BY JAMES J. CORBETT.

This is the second chapter of a series of six articles which Mr. Corbett is writing on the pugilistic life of Terry McGovern. The next instalment will appear tomorrow.

Terry McGovern's spectacular rush through the bantamweight division was halted only by the fact that no one was left who could give him a real battle. And so Terry was forced to look into the higher class and at once began "picking on" George Dixon, then the title holder of the featherweight division.

Dixon eagerly accepted the challenge of McGovern and the two were matched to fight January 9, 1900. Few battles in ring history ever provoked more excitement or greater discussion than that one. And it ranks as one of the heaviest betting bouts ever staged in America. Conservative estimates have it that close to a half million was wagered on the outcome of that blue ribbon fistic clash.

For ten years Dixon had ruled supreme among the featherweights. During that period he had beaten hundreds of foes. Boxing enthusiasts had come to believe that the negro would retire undefeated.

His defense was so superb, his ring judgment so wonderful and his ability to take punishment so amazing that it was considered an impossible feat for a man in his own class to take away his crown.

But Terry McGovern accomplished the trick in a battle that was one of the most wonderful and most thrilling ever fought on American soil.

DIXON NOT AT BEST.

Dixon was in good shape when he fought Terrible Terry, but not in the splendid condition that he had known in his earlier days. Added years and easy living had taken away some of the speed and endurance powers that made him a marvelous performer in his prime.

Just the same Dixon went into the McGovern battle retaining all of his far-famed cleverness and with the aid of a keen, agile ring brain—and years of experience.

In making the match with McGovern he knew that he was taking on the most aggressive fighter the smaller division ever had known. But Dixon figured that he was the Irishman's master.

With the bang of the first gong, Dixon beat McGovern to the rush and started driving Terry around the ring. The aggressiveness of the negro surprised the crowd. But it was in keeping with Dixon's program of battle.

He felt that his best chance for victory was to attempt to beat down McGovern with a fury of punches before Terry could begin a cyclonic attack. But in doing so Dixon made a grave blunder.

OLD GEORGE MADE MISTAKE.

His rushing tactics used up practically all of his strength in the early rounds—and didn't weary Terry. Had the negro elected to stand off and box, using his brain and his skill and his cleverness to keep out of the way of McGovern's rushes, a different story might be written about that contest.

But George Dixon elected to slug with Terry McGovern—and George Dixon went down to defeat.

TERRY MAKES SLOW START.

During the first round the negro champion made McGovern look like a novice. With bewildering footwork, clever blocking and ducking, Dixon forced McGovern to miss practically every lead. Terrible Terry didn't land a really solid punch throughout the first round, whereas Dixon played a tattoo upon the face and body of McGovern.

The story of the second round was much the same—Dixon all the way. The negro found no trouble in hitting Terry, whereas the white gladiator was swinging wildly and vainly.

The third round brought something akin to consternation among the McGovern partisans. Dixon started off rushing Terry and landed a succession of lefts and rights to the stomach and head without a serious return.

In a furious mixup in the centre of the ring, Dixon tricked McGovern into a wild swing and then whirled in and shot a terrific left hander to Terry's jaw. McGovern staggered and the Dixon partisans went wild with joy. They figured that the end of the fight was near.

But they reckoned without taking into consideration the endurance powers of McGovern. Terry, although dazed, had sufficient presence of mind to fall into an immediate clinch and he held onto Dixon until he had recovered somewhat from his grogginess.

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STANDING of the CLUBS

NATIONAL LEAGUE. STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
New York	6	0	1.000	Pittsburg	2	3	.400
Phila'lphia	5	1	.833	Chicago	2	4	.333
Cincinnati	4	2	.667	BRAVES	1	5	.167
St. Louis	2	2	.500	Brooklyn	0	6	.000

Today's Games.

Philadelphia at Boston (3:15 p. m.)
New York at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at [illegible]

Yesterday's Results.

At New York—New York 9, Boston 2
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 7, Brooklyn 2.
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 3, Chicago [illegible]
At St. Louis—St. Louis 6, Pittsburgh [illegible]

AMERICAN LEAGUE. STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
RED SOX	7	1	.875	Phila'lphia	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cleveland	4	1	.800	St. Louis	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Detroit	1	1	.500	Washington	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
New York	3	5	.375	Chicago	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Today's Games.

Boston at Philadelphia.
Washington at New York.
Cleveland at Detroit.
Chicago at St. Louis.

Yesterday's Results.

At Boston—Boston 1, New York 0.
At Cleveland—Cleveland 8, St. Louis [illegible]
At Washington—Philadelphia [illegible], Washington 0.
At Chicago—Detroit vs. Chicago, rain.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

New Orleans 9, Atlanta 1.
Mobile 5, Birmingham 3.
Little Rock 3, Nashville 1.
Memphis 4, Chattanooga 3.

College Baseball Scores

Bowdoin 5, Wesleyan 2.

HARVARD CREWS TAKE THEIR FINAL WORKOUT

The Harvard varsity and freshman eights were to hold their final [illegible] before the Princeton regatta this afternoon on the Charles. Coach Haines is immensely pleased with the showing of his two eights and is hopeful of a double victory on Lake Carnegie.

The rowing orders today, which are to be the same for the Princeton race, follow:

Varsity—Stroke, Captain Emmet; 7, Whitman; 6, Withington; 5, Parkman; 4, Batchelder; 3, Linder; 2, Boleman; bow, Bowen; cox, Keyndors.

Freshmen—Stroke, Olmsted; 7, Damon; 6, Morris; 5, Sedgwick; 4, Captain Borland; 3, Ford; 2, Sise; bow, Davis; cox, Pelraon.

TWO FOHLS ARE TO JOIN NAVY, SAYS HINKEL

By H. W. LANIGAN.

A great baseball fan, in fact, a particularly warm booster of the glorious old pastime, is Matt Hinkel, prominent Cleveland sporting man, specialty, staging big ring battles, who came to the Hub to referee the Lew Tendler-Frankie (Young) Britt Queensberry quarrel at the Arena.

Hinkel took in yesterday's Sox-Yankees matinee in company with Joe McCarthy, South Boston sporting citizen, manager of Johnny Wilson and Johnny Downes among other fistic lights. "I was at New Orleans with the Cleveland Indians on the training trip," stated Hinkel at the matinee, "and Fohl, Tris Speaker and the rest have the bunch they are just about coming through this year.

"Yes, Fohl has lost Harris and one or two others, but the other teams are also riddled.

Ray Chapman and Josh Billings have joined the Naval Reserves at Cleveland and are going to undergo a course of training on the Great Lakes. They figure they will be able to remain with Fohl until late August.

Wallie Pipp, the Yankee's slugging first baseman, was among the players who chatted with Hinkel between rounds. Wallie was placed in Class A of the draft at his home in Michigan early in the Winter and ever since has expected to be called.

He's now headed for work at the Fore River yards, it is reported. There's some old pals of his from home building ships for Uncle Sam there and they want Pipp to join them.

Clyde Engel, one of the Sox' old heroes, is also on deck at the yard, serving as inspector and drawing down pretty good money.

Hinkel figures that St. Paul will stage the Willard-Fulton championship fight July 4. He doubled up with Dominick Tortorich, New Orleans promoter, when the bidding opened, and the pair passed along a $125,000 offer to Colonel Miller.

"Twas 'the tops,' but for some reason or other wasn't accepted.

CHAMPION GOLFER TO JOIN AVIATION SERVICE

Mike Brady, Massachusetts open golf champion, said that he had arranged to enlist in the aviation service in California. Brady, who has been playing in the West, expects to return there in a few days.

Mike Doolan a Dodger

New York, April 24.—Mike Doolan, veteran shortstop, has joined the Dodgers. Manager Robinson plans inserting him into his line-up as soon as the ex-Philly gets his wing in shape.

Baseball Short Talk

LARRY GARDNER and Tillie Walker came back with timely drives against the Senators and gave the Macks their second straight victory. Gardner's double was the blow that settled Dumont. Myers deftly stopped the brush.

FRED COUMBE, ex-Red Sox, baffled the Browns, while Bert Gallia, ex-Senator, was merrily mauled by the Indians. Gallia's homer saved St. Louis from being blanked.

TRIS SPEAKER, up three times, tallied on a single and a triple. Turner bashed a triple. Handsome Kavanagh a single and a double, and Steve O'Neill a single and a triple. Gus Getz and Chapman alone went hitless.

CATCHER SCHMIDT'S muss of a [illegible] spiral in front of the plate allowed the Cardinals to nose out the Pirates.

PAT MORAN showed 2 star rookies in Hogg, from Los Angeles, and the Dodgers were dealt their daily defeat. Bancroft, Stock, Cravath and Meusel killed the ball for the Phils.

THE SEASON is early yet, still Fred Luderus owns two homers. Yep, both were produced over on the bandbox yard in Philadelphia.

GEORGE TYLER lost a close one to the Reds, making his bow as a Cub. He had all the better of his argument with Bressler, but errors by Elliott and Merkle beat him.

TENDLER SLIPS OVER KAYO IN THIRD ACT

Taking It Easy at Outset, Lanky Lew Flattens Young Britt When He Starts in High

By J. P. MURPHY.

Lew Tendler, newsboy boxer, is breezing merrily onto Philadelphia today with the scalp of Frankie (Young) Britt safely tucked under his belt.

Tendler made quicker work of the New Bedford lad than was expected in their battle at the Arena, viewed by a big crowd. He knocked him out in the third round with a right hook to the jaw and left hook to the stomach delivered in quick succession.

It was the latter blow that did the work, although the first one really started Frankie on his way to the canvas.

Britt never liked them in the stomach and this time was no exception. Supported on one hand, he laid on the mat, apparently in pain, while the imported Matt Hinkel tolled off the fatal ten.

'TWAS A REGULAR BRODIE.

Britt made no effort to get to his feet, although he might have if he desired. No doubt the punch hurt, but he was not out for keeps. Frankie, however, undoubtedly did a whole lot of figuring while he was down, and realized that he had enough, so he stayed there.

Up to the time of the finishing punch Britt was going along exceptionally well. He had a shade the better of the first two rounds. He tied up his man in fine style, excelled at infighting, as he always does, and made Tendler do a whole lot of missing.

Tendler either was taken by surprise or was holding back, probably delaying the deadly work that seemed sure to come.

Once Tendler opened up, however, it was curtains for Britt. As mentioned before, this opening came in the third round. It followed a surprise punch delivered by Britt.

Frankie caught the Quaker off his guard and landed a right-hand swing flush on his jaw.

The blow evidently peeved Lew, for he immediately opened his guns full fire and set after Britt, bent upon getting him as quickly as possible.

CURTAINS ON THE SHOW.

The Philadelphian played away at Britt's stomach, landing lefts and rights in rapid-fire order, while the little Whaler stood at long range, trying hard to stave them off. Finally, however, Tendler got inside and crushed over his deadly weapons, as described before.

Tendler and Britt both made the same notch, 128 pounds, when they climbed on the scales at 9:30 p. m.

Johnny Buckley of South Boston was awarded the decision over Young Chakas of Manchester, N. H., in an unsatisfactory eight-round semi-final. The bout was slow and uninteresting and, on top of this, Referee Larry Conley's decision failed to please. In our opinion, Buckley was entitled to the award.

Freddie Webb of Weymouth beated Frank Turantic of Dorchester in the six-round curtain-raiser, while Panama Joe Gans and Battling Thomas, colored battlers, fought a slashing six-round draw in the second prelim.

Boston Newsboys Dine Lew Tendler and His Pals Who Came On to Hub With Him

By RINGSIDE.

Leave it to the Boston newsboys to do the right thing at the right time.

They, 200 of them, led by Charley Francis, president of the Boston Newsboys' Union, Happy Rabinovitz, Morris (Hondler) Berger and other high-steppers in their order, fairly took possession of the Georgian last night and put on a big league banquet in honor of Lew Tendler, famous Philadelphia lightweight, heir apparent to the lightweight throne, and a newsboy himself, and his nine pals, all fellow-newsies, who came over with him for his set-to with Frankie (Young) Britt at the Arena.

Early in the day the Boston newsboys gave Tendler a gay time of it around Boston. He was shown the "sights" and nothing was missed. His good mother came over from Philadelphia with him and, besides, the loyal gathering of ten fellow newsies, there was Judge Harry J. Imber.

Few happier parties have ever taken place at the Georgian. The boys made the welkin ring cheering Tendler when he arose and made a tidy speech of thanks for the good time he had in Boston. Judge Imber also was cheered to the proverbial echo when he spoke.

Prominent among the members of the Boston Union aiding President Francis in putting the Tendler banquet over big, aside from Happy and Morris Berger, were Chief Bricker, Moe Levenson, Harry Bloomberg, Nate Sedekson, Mike Davis, Moe Rubinowitz, A. Goldman, Abe Cohen, Danny Mulkern, Hymen Cohen, Frank Russell, Jacky Gordon and Louis Kratts.

Tendler's pals from Philadelphia were Charley Schwartz, Ed Wilson, Jack Rhinefeld, Harry Rosenthal, Harry Brown, Bobby Feinstein, Ben Ashebrod, Lew Hefferman and Phil Glassman.

SUBSTITUTE 3D RACE PUT ON AT LEXINGTON

Lexington, Ky., April 24.—On account of adverse weather and track conditions, today's original third event was declared off, and the following entries substituted:

THIRD RACE—3-year-olds and up, mile:—**Billy Joe 110, Eddie T. 110, Bit of Blarney 98, *Yodeles 105, *Green Grass 95, Words o' Wisdom 110, Lucky R. 108, *Erin 105, Tze Lal 103.**

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather threatening, track muddy.

Runs Scored by Big League Teams

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

From April 17 to 23, Inclusive

	Boston	Cleveland	Chicago	Washington	St. Louis	New York	Detroit	Philadelphia
Wednesday	5	*	*	7	*	8	*	4
Thursday	*	6	5	*	0	*	2	*
Friday	10	*	*	1	*	†6	*	0
Saturday	4	3	*	*	1	3	*	*
Sunday	*	7	*	*	11	*	*	*
Monday	4	8	3	1	1	11	7	5
Tuesday	1	8	*	0	2	0	*	5
Totals	20	32	8	0	15	28	9	14

High—Cleveland, 8. Low—New York-Washington, 0.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

From April 17 to 23, Inclusive

	New York	Philadelphia	Chicago	Cincinnati	St. Louis	Pittsburgh	Boston	Brooklyn
Wednesday	2	2	0	1	*	8	14	0
Thursday	*	*	8	7	4	6	*	*
Friday	7	4	*	*	*	*	3	5
Saturday	5	0	*	*	*	*	0	2
Sunday	*	*	6	1	*	*	*	*
Monday	4	3	2	3	1	3	2	0
Tuesday	9	7	2	3	6	5	2	2
Totals	27	25	10	15	11	24	21	9

High—New York, 9. Low—Boston-Brooklyn-Chicago, 2.

*No games. †Two games.

Opposition to Big Go Grows; St. Paul May Lose Out

St. Paul, Minn., April 24.—The feeling persisted in the Twin Cities today that the proposed championship fight between Jess Willard and Fred Fulton would not be held in St. Paul on July 4.

Active opposition from several organizations whose leaders announced they would enlist State-wide support, was the chief cause for pessimism in boxing circles.

It was believed this opposition was responsible for an intimation from the capital that the State Safety Commission would forbid the fight while the United States is at war.

The Safety Commission listened to arguments for and against the proposed contest and then took the matter under advisement.

About 100 women, clergymen, attorneys and others attended the hearing and protested against the fight.

OFFER $50,000 PURSE FOR TITLE MAT BOUT

New York, April 24.—The world's record purse in the wrestling world was established when Jack Curley and Louis Meyer, famous promoters, announced their intention of offering a $50,000 purse for Earl Caddock and the winner of the "Strangler" Lewis-Joe Stecher match at Madison Square Garden next Friday night. To prove their intention and back up their offer Messrs. Curley and Meyer posted a forfeit of $10,000 in the form of a certified check with John T. Doyle, the well-known billiard room proprietor.

COMMERCIAL A. C. ISSUES BILL FOR FRIDAY NIGHT

The Commercial A. C. directors have completed their boxing card for Friday night. As usual, its members appear ticketed to witness plenty of slugging. The menu:

Young Blades of Woonsocket vs. Pete Hartley of New York, twelve rounds; Henri Le Boeuff of New Bedford vs. Young Gibbs of Woonsocket, ten rounds; Jack Mansfield of Lawrence vs. Young Hughes of Woonsocket, eight rounds, and Hooch O'Neill of Lynn vs. Young Chaney of Beachmont, six rounds.

TUFTS AND B. C. NINES HOOK UP AT MEDFORD

TUFTS.	BOSTON COLLEGE.
Giado, c.f.	Burke, 3b.
Fallon, 3b.	Gildea, 2b.
Ford, s.s.	Enright, 1b.
Kirshstein, l.f.	O'Reagan, c.
Drummey, 2b.	Ryan, r.f.
O'Marra, r.f.	Mueller, l.f.
Cassidy, 1b.	Dempsey, c.f.
Mullen, c.	Lahiff, s.s.
Tomasi, p.	Fitzpatrick, p.

The Tufts and Boston College baseball teams were to clash at Medford this afternoon.

Tomasi and Mullen were carded to start the game in the points for Tufts. The Boston College battery was Fitzpatrick and O'Reagan.

TURF INFORMATION

COLLYER'S SELECTIONS AT LEXINGTON

1—Grundy, Chalmers, Sfa.
2—Flying Eagle, Legal, Omeme.
3—McAdoo, Valor, Sun Flash.
4—Lady Always, Faux Col, Buford.
5—Petrovna, Tom Anderson, Liberator.
6—Fern Handley, Rahu, Mabel Trask.
7—Sayonarra, Yenghee, Petit bleu.
Most probable winner—GRUNDY.

AT HAVRE DE GRACE

1—Vreeman, Nelle York, We Win.
2—Colinella, Loving Lady, Rainbow Girl.
3—Brocatelle, Golden Glow, Mar Murray.
4—Churchill, Assume, Sweep Up II.
5—Etruscan, King Worth, Compadre.
6—George Starr, Flittergold, Top o' the Morning.
7—Assume, Stir Up, Graphic.
Most probable winner—ETRUSCAN.

EBBETS' IDEA IS SECONDED BY FULLERTON

Expert Agrees With Magnate That Soldier Players Deserve Preference After the War

By HUGH S. FULLERTON.

Colonel Charles H. Ebbets, owner of the Brooklyn club, has an idea which may grow and grow until it puts a new phase upon the baseball situation all over this country.

The idea is that, when the troops come back from France and from the training fields, the clubowners shall give preference to those players who have answered their country's call.

The idea is worth following out in baseball, as it will be in every other line of business, for the simple reason that after the war is over the United States is going to be rather an uncomfortable place to live in for healthy, able-bodied young men who are not provided with most excellent excuses to explain why they were not among those present in the Big Game over there.

The fellows who come back ought to have the preference, and it is certain that the fans will welcome them and that we will have more hero worship on the ball field than ever before.

DOING RIGHT THING.

There is another and more selfish reason why the soldier should be given the preference and that is the probability that those who return will provide the professional clubs with a new crop of baseball stars.

The minor leagues and the colleges are going to produce extremely few players during the next few years, while the army undoubtedly will develop a great many. The wise owner really ought to send a scout or two to France to look them over and get a refusal on their services.

Baseball has taken a tremendous hold on the army and officers and others, especially Y. M. C. A. athletic directors, declare the game is the finest thing for relaxing the minds and bodies of the soldiers when they come back from the front that has yet been found.

They come back too weary of soul and body to care for movies, theatre, or any other amusements, but in playing baseball they can forget and come back to normal rapidly.

GAME FOLLOWS FLAG.

They have already organized a "big league" over in France, with twenty-six clubs representing many different divisions and these clubs are plentifully sprinkled with major and minor league players.

These teams will furnish the big league interest, but the athletic directors find it better to have as many soldiers playing the game as possible, because active playing gives more reaction from the trench strain than watching others play ever can do.

The movement to furnish more playing ground and more materials is going forward rapidly.

As to physical condition, why, if these fellows come back without being shot up, training seasons will be unnecessary. And think of the pitching arms! Why, we'll have a new generation of right-handed pitchers whose arms will be stronger than any ever known, merely from the exercise entailed in saluting the officers.

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PIER GRAPPLER TO BE DISPLAYED BY TUOHEY

Pater McCarthy, Irish middleweight wrestler, and Spider Woods of Commonwealth Pier, have been matched by Promoter Tuohey to meet in the preliminary to the Gardner-Kilonis combat at the Grand Opera House tomorrow night. Woods is reported to be a grappler of considerable skill.

Keen interest is being displayed in the Gardner-Kilonis encounter and the indications are the fans are set to witness another busy battle.

TENDLER TAKES CLINE'S PLACE AGAINST JACKSON

New Haven, Ct., April 24.—Lew Tendler of Philadelphia will take the place of Irish Patsy Cline against Willie Jackson next Monday night at the Temple A. C. This bout is to be at fifteen rounds to a referee's decision. Cline is unable to meet Jackson, as he hurt his foot a few days ago. Tendler recently defeated Cline.

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This Day in Our History

THIS is the anniversary of the issuance of the first permanent newspaper in America, the Boston News Letter, in 1704. In this connection it is interesting to note that the oldest newspaper known is the Pekin Gazette, which first appeared in ...

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Wednesday, April 24

The Sponge's Canal System

MOST sponges have a canal system, and there is a continual current of sea water passing through it in the same direction. The water is made to flow by a series of peculiar cells the like of which has not been found in any of the higher animals.

The Four of Hearts

A SERIAL OF YOUTH AND LOVE

Gerald Tries to Give Cynthia a Chance to Tell Him That She Doesn't Love Him

By Virginia Terhune Van de Water

CHAPTER XLVI.

"AUNT AMANDA told me to ask you to remain to dinner with us," Cynthia informed Gerald Stewart when they had parted from Darius Blake.

She felt awkward as she thought of the conversation she must hold with her lover, and she evaded it for a moment by delivering her aunt's invitation.

"Yes," Gerald said, "Mr. Livingstone invited me, too. So I stopped at my rooms long enough to get into a dinner coat."

"Did uncle telephone you?" Cynthia asked. "Or did he see you?"

"He was passing my office this afternoon and ran in for a moment," Gerald replied. "It is late. Shall we be going?"

He had his own reasons for not wishing his betrothed to inquire further into her uncle's object in calling on him.

"I'd like to consult you about something," Cynthia said. "Can't we walk uptown a little way?"

"Certainly we can. Then we can ride the last part of the trip if we find it necessary," her companion agreed.

Cynthia congratulated herself that she was not facing this man in a brilliantly lighted room as she introduced the topic on which she must consult him. After they had chatted of various matters that had no bearing on their own case, she summoned her resolution to nerve her to the attack. She plunged in boldly, almost desperately.

"Gerald," she began, "Uncle Stephen and Aunt Amanda want us to be married at the same time that Dora and Milton are. They want a double wedding. What do you say to the idea?"

The young couple had started across the street, and an automobile, swinging suddenly around a corner in the avenue, almost crushed them in passing.

"Take care!" Gerald exclaimed, seizing Cynthia's arm.

His grasp was like a grip of iron. She attributed this to the fact that he was startled by the automobile. She did not suspect that her statement had anything to do with his action. Nor, when he released her and spoke again, did his voice betray any perturbation.

"What do you say to the idea, Cynthia? You are the one to be considered, and your wishes must be respected."

His manner was so confident, so calm, that, as often before, she felt a throb of thankfulness for his goodness. And, as at other times, it was followed by a pang of regret at the knowledge that the sentiments he awakened in her heart were only gratitude and liking — not love.

Nevertheless, she was comforted by his sane presence, and she spoke with genuine feeling.

"How good you are, Gerald! You always seem to be thinking of what my wishes are, and put your own in the background."

"Should not my wishes be yours?" he queried, lightly.

She tried to smile, but failed. "In this case, I do not know what I ought to do," she confessed, anxiously. "You see, the double wedding would be less expensive to uncle. For that reason I wanted to pay for my own wedding, but he will not allow it."

"Perhaps he considers it a pleasure to discharge that obligation as your nearest male relative," her companion suggested. "But in this, also, I feel that you should have your own way."

"I thought I should, too—until I consulted Mr. Blake awhile ago," she rejoined. "He agrees with Uncle Stephen."

"Indeed!" Gerald mused. "I suppose you understand why he takes that view of the matter. I, myself, do not quite understand just why he does."

"I will explain it all to you some time, Gerald," Cynthia promised. "I cannot do so yet. It would not be quite fair. But later I will—after——"

She stopped, and he waited for her to continue.

"After what, Cynthia?" he asked softly. "Is it so hard for you to finish the sentence? Were you going to say, 'After we are married'?"

She nodded in silence. Gerald Stewart took her arm again in his strong grasp.

"Listen, dear," he said, his voice vibrating with a feeling she did not interpret aright. "I have noticed how you hesitate to speak of the time after our marriage. If it is only girlish self-consciousness that causes you to shrink from talking of that period, I have nothing to say. But if, on the other hand, it is any other sentiment that makes you shun the subject, in justice to us both you must tell me. Dear, I want you to be happy; that is my only aim in life just now. If I have been mistaken in thinking that you care enough for me to trust yourself to me, please say so before it is too late."

The pair had turned into a cross street where they were more secluded than on the avenue. Gerald's tone was tremulous as he pleaded, and by the electric light the girl whose arm he held could see how pale he was.

Compunction and pity smote her as she looked up at him. Now she was making this man who loved her suffer. He had always been so good to her. She must banish his fear.

"Dear Gerald," she said impulsively, "forgive me if I have started such doubts in your mind. I trust myself entirely to you. Can't you believe that I appreciate all that you are, the honor that you have conferred on me in asking me to be your wife. I will marry you this Spring if you wish."

In her earnestness she had laid her hand on his, and his fingers closed tightly on hers.

"Thank you, dear," he said hoarsely, "for speaking so frankly. I am answered, and I will not misunderstand again."

"And now," with a sudden change of manner, "we must ride uptown if we are to reach the Livingstones in time for dinner. Here comes a cab. We will take it."

(To Be Continued.)

For the Most Fastidious Taste



THIS robe intime of flesh-colored washable satin has a novel girdle of braided ribbon. The collar and cuffs are of malines lace. The spider web hat is of black maline and flat straw braid in black. A swirl of uncurled ostrich is used for trimming, giving it a smart touch which does not detract from its simplicity.

No Soft Snap for the Boy

MAKE HIS TIME WORTH WHILE

He'll Get More Out of It and Thank You for Putting Him on the Right Track

By William A. McKeever

A STRONG, self-reliant character is not made out of soft, flimsy material. A certain amount of wear and tear is necessary for the boy or girl whom we may reasonably expect finally to make a creditable showing with his life. If the cities are full of cheap hangers-on and more time servers it is because these cringing souls enjoyed too much of a mushroom growth while they were young.

If your boy is to become a strong personality he must be kept away from the soft snap for his vacation employment. Give him something to do that will try his mettle and have much practice in bringing things to pass. He should have a place that is rich in experience and opportunity for growth, and not merely a money-making position. Avoid the monotonous.

Best Vacation

Perspiration, respiration and inspiration—these three words hint strongly at the best sort of vacation employment for a boy or girl. Arrange for the task that will open the pores, for this insures a healthy growth of the body. Work that requires vigorous exercise, and therefore deep breathing, is the kind to choose. Once your child acquires the habit of using a large lung capacity at his work you may expect him to carry throughout his lifetime this increased lung power and a higher resistance to fatigue and disease.

Inspiration, that means a plan of his own, a vision, a use of initiative and inventive genius.

For the foregoing reasons peddling and running a stand on the street corner is a very poor business for any boy—no exercise, no sweat, no development. It may increase your boy's cunning and sharpen his business wits, but it will also tend to make him lazy and a shirker. He may make money at this small trade, but he will lose in point of inner growth more than he gains in money.

Unless you are hard pressed for money, rather than let him run a street shop it will be far better to provide some old boards and brick and let your young son dig a cave in the back yard and house it up. I can see in this crude situation great possibilities for character development—sweat, fatigue and thinking.

It is an admission of weakness to argue that you have nothing constructive for your child to do for the vacation time so long as you are able to pay for an old drygoods box, a hammer and saw and a few nails. If you wish him to combine genius with work and thrift you may furnish him the pattern and the raw materials for making kits, chair swings or bows and arrows to sell.

Fully Justified

A boy is fully justified in selling his own garden produce or handiwork. I know three girls who transformed an old dingey 10x12 building in the backyard into a playhouse, and there they will spend many happy hours during the coming Summer, making pretty little dolls for a hundred babies in an orphanage. To be sure some one gave them the idea and the pattern, but there still remains much opportunity for originality in putting on the finishing touches. The girls will receive twenty cents each for their dolls.

So now, all together! Hustle for a Summer task for your boy or girl, which calls for a right amount of perspiration, respiration and inspiration, and which challenges latent genius. No soft snap will suffice.

Puss in Boots Jr.

By David Cory

WELL, Puss felt very fine in his new green coat which the King of Crabs had given him in the last story, you remember, and set out once more in a merry mood on his journey of adventure, and by and by, not so very far, he came to Candy Town. Now I guess many a little boy and girl wonders where all the beautiful candies come from, but they wouldn't if they had once seen this wonderful Peppermint City, for it was all white with red stripes. Just like a stick of peppermint candy, you know.

The houses were all made of white candy with columns of peppermint sticks to hold up the roofs, and the doorways had lovely peppermint striped pillars and so did the porches and big piazzas. And the Opera House had candy statues in front of it, and the fountain in the middle of the town spouted maple syrup and rock candy crystal chandeliers hung from the ceilings in the rich people's houses and little peppermint candle sticks made light for the workman's hut, and the lampposts on the corners were peppermint sticks and so were the barber poles.

"Goodness me," said Puss to himself, "I wonder what would happen if it rained." But you see it never rained in Candy Country, which was mighty lucky.

"What do you wish" asked a Chocolate Man, as Puss knocked on Candy Town Gate, and then it swung open, and out marched a regiment of Lemon Soldiers dressed in Lemon Khaki Uniforms.

"Oh, I'm just a traveler," replied Puss with a grin.

"Oh, I'm a traveler who goes
For miles and miles upon his toes.
But sometimes when I'm tired out
I hear a kind voice loudly shout,
'Come, ride with me upon my Goose!'
And other times it is a Moose,
And then again a steed with wings;
Or maybe some kind stranger brings
A ship that sails the ocean wide,
And so instead of walk, I ride.'

"Well, well, you are a poet," said the Chocolate Man. "Now you are the very person we need to write little pretty things on our round peppermint candies."

And then he held out his chocolate hand and drew Puss inside the gate, and after that he locked it with a little silver key.

"Come with me to our Candy Factory," and he ran down the street, which was paved with little red brick candies, until he came to a big Rock Candy Building.

"Look here," said Puss, who was all out of breath with running, for that Chocolate Man was the best athlete in all Peppermint City, and it was all Puss could do to keep up with him. "I said I was a traveler, not a poet. I wouldn't write poetry for anything. I want to see things, not write about them!"

"Dear me," said the Chocolate Man, and he let go the lollypop door handle: "I'm sorry. I thought you'd like to stay here."

"Don't feel badly about it," said Puss, with a grin, and then he shook hands with the Chocolate Man and left Peppermint City to resume his journey of adventure.

ADVICE TO THE LOVELORN

By Beatrice Fairfax

Write to Him.

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am nineteen and engaged. A few days ago I received a letter from a friend of my fiance (a married man) saying that I should break off the engagement at the wish of my fiance and return the ring without asking any questions. Now, Miss Fairfax, do you advise me to return the ring or wait until my fiance calls at my home and offers an explanation? He has proven that he loves me, so I cannot make out what it all means. CYNTHIA.

I AM heartily out of sympathy with your accepting any "commands" from this friend of your fiance. Either you or some member of your family ought to write a dignified little letter to the man you were planning to marry. Tell him that you feel he owes you an explanation of his conduct; that the letter from his friend puzzled you, and that as you are unaware of anything that has come between you, you cannot conceive why he could have let an outsider write you a letter that hurt you so. Tell him that you have no thought of trying to hold him against his will or of attempting to make him do anything he no longer desires to do. Ask him to either write to you or come and explain his sudden change of heart; tell him that since he wants to be free, he shall be free, but that you feel strongly (and know that after thinking it over he will agree) that it is only fair for you to know what has changed him so. You have "rights" in the matter.

RECIPES FOR WARTIME

The following recipes are from "War Fund Bulletin No. 1," issued by the New York Mayor's Committee of Women on National Defence, of which Mrs. William Randolph Hearst is chairman. The committee, co-operating with the Federal Food Administration, selected these recipes with a view to meeting the needs of the average family of moderate income, in connection with the conservation of foods and the substitutes that can be utilized in the interests of our war.

The committee urges every housewife to hearken to the appeal of our boys "over there." The one big way to bring them home is for each woman to do her "bit" in her immediate household.

POTATOES, left over or fresh, may be combined with cheese or nuts or meat or other material, often to make the main dish of a meal.

Potato Sausages

U. S. Food Administration.

One cup mashed potatoes, one cup ground nuts, fish or meat; one egg, well beaten; one and one-half teaspoons salt, one-eighth teaspoon pepper, salt pork, bacon or other fat.

Mix the mashed potatoes and seasonings with the ground nuts, fish or meat. Add beaten egg. Form into little cakes or sausages, roll in flour and place in greased pan with a small piece of fat or salt pork on each sausage. Bake in a fairly hot oven until brown.

Potato and Onion Pie

Six large potatoes, 3 onions, pepper and salt, cheese, butter.

Peel and cut into thin slices six large potatoes and three onions. Butter a baking dish and arrange a layer of the potatoes on it. Dot with butter, cover with the sliced onions, and season highly. Arrange a second layer of the potatoes in the dish, and continue in this manner until the dish is full, making the top layer of the onions. Sprinkle with grated cheese, add one-half cupful grated cheese, and one-half cupful hot water, and cover. Bake for two hours in a very slow oven. If the pie seems too dry, add a very little more hot water to it during baking process. Remove the cover half an hour before taking the pie out of the oven.

The Manicure Lady

By William F. Kirk

"NOW that the time is an hour ahead, I believe I'm working swifter than I used to," said the Manicure Lady. "I just had a customer tell me that I done a fast job."

"We all got to be on our toes these days," said the Head Barber. Most of the gents I shave now is in a hurry, too."

"Speed is a fine thing all right," declared the Manicure Lady, "if it is used in the right way. The speed you see around one of them cabarets ain't no good for the country, but speed in our work is fine, and I'm glad when I get one of them boosts. It makes me feel like my work is kinda helping things in general."

"I got to be careful about my speed," said the Head Barber. "When my hand is moving fast I always got to remember that there's a sharp razor in it, and I reckon the customer never forgets that, either. Some of them act a little nervous when I let out."

"Well, said the Manicure Lady, "the thing to do is to work fast and careful at the same time. That's what we are told to do by them deficiency experts, or whatever they claim they are. Fast and careful, step out, but watch your step! That's the ticket, George, and I am going to try hard to live up to that there rule."

"It won't make much difference what rule you live up to if your business stays the way it is," said the Head Barber. "The gents seem to be able to take pretty good care of their own nails these days. I ain't noticed many gents listening to your girlish spiels lately, kid."

"They have sure been few and far between," admitted the Manicure Lady, "but I'm kinda hoping that they'll be drifting back before long. That's the best way to be during these times, George, kinda hopeful and nervy, like a waiter."

"You said it," agreed the Head Barber. "That's just the way I try to be, even when I've been having them discussions with the Missus about the little bets I put down now and then on good horses. The only trouble about her is that she switches around so fast I can't follow her. When I win a bet I'm a dear boy, and when the horse falls down I'm a trusting fool, she says."

"I ain't going to talk with you about horses," said the Manicure Lady. "You know now and you've known for a long time just how I feel about them horses. Goodness knows, I've told you often enough that if you were real bright you wouldn't pay any attention to any kind of gambling. It's the biggest sucker game in the world, and even Brother Wilfred, who don't know what ocean Coney Island is in, knows that. As he said once in one of his poems which a magazine sent back to him not long ago:

"To risk our all at cards or races
Is one of mankind's worst disgraces,
And I'd not bet my hard-earned cases
Not even if I had four aces!"

"I guess he's right," admitted the Head Barber. "But I ain't been betting none lately. The Missus has been keeping mighty close tabs on my change since she bought them Liberty Bonds, and maybe I'm better off."

"Of course you're better off, George! As one of them old patriots said, millions for fences, but not one cent for race tracks!"

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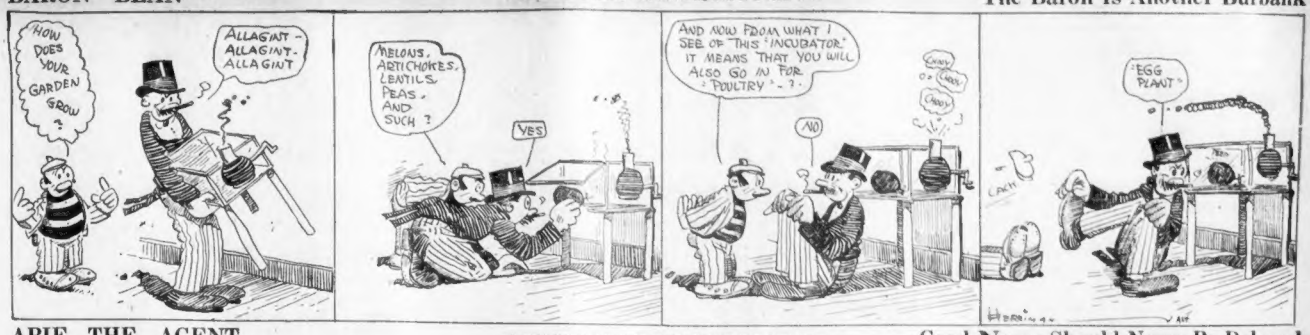
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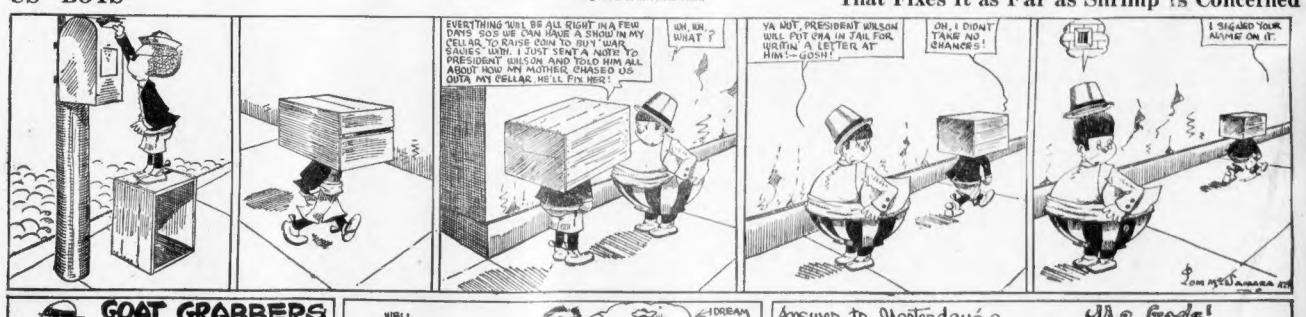
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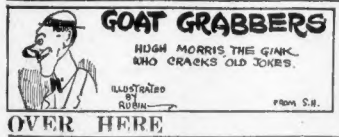


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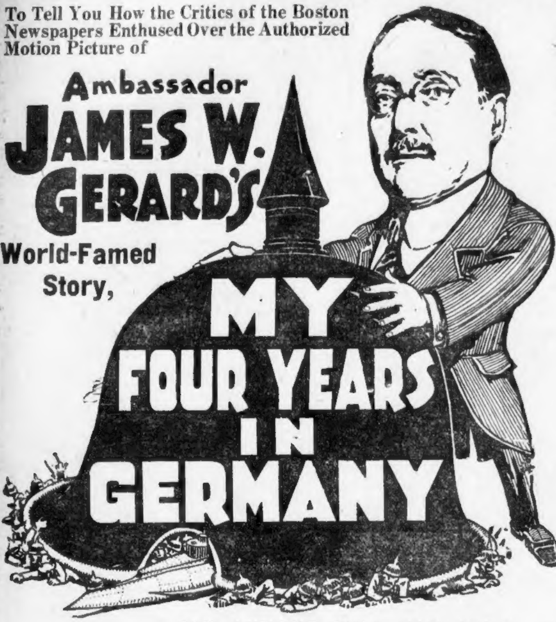


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5 MILLION MEN IN FRANCE IN THREE YEARS

By International News Service.

Washington, April 24.—The United States can put 5,000,000 men in France within three years "if we are willing to take a chance here and there," Military Affairs Committee of the House in testimony on the military appropriation made public today.

"Assuming that we must have five million men over there, at least five million, and that we should get them as quickly as possible, how many do you think it would be possible for us to get ready each year?" Representative Morin asked.

"If we can get the ships, we can get the men after this year," said General McCain.

"Assuming that we could get the ships," Morin pursued, "what would be the maximum each year after the first year?"

"I don't see any reason, if we could get the ships, why we can't send over three million men."

"If we must have five million men and get sufficient ships, we could have them over there in two and a half years?"

"Easily, as far as getting the men is concerned after we get the ammunition," Gen. McCain replied. "I don't know what the Quartermaster and Ordnance departments can do. Outside of that there is no limit in getting them ready.

"Then it is safe to assume that it would take us at least three years to get the 5,000,000 men over there, trained and equipped?"

"I think we can do it before that," said General McCain, "if we are willing to take a chance here and there, willing to go in without fear of making a mistake."

DIRECTS WAR TRAINING OF COLLEGE STUDENTS

Arthur L. Williston, principal of Wentworth Institute, Boston, has been appointed educational director of the training of drafted men in industrial and mechanical lines, in New England schools and colleges.

The appointment came through the War Department Committee on Education and Special Training, created by Secretary Baker, of which Colonel Hugh S. Johnson is chairman. Mr. Williston will have full authority to represent and act for the thousands of National Army men training to be army engineers and mechanics, now stationed at Tufts College, Brown University, University of Maine, New Hampshire State University, Rhode Island State University, Worcester Polytechnical Institution and others, as drafted men are assigned to them.

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New York, April 24.—Two men were arrested in City Hall park yesterday for refusing to remove their hats while the national air was played during the Liberty Loan meeting. They gave their names as William Weinstein and Abraham Ehrenberg. The crowd handled them roughly until the police interfered. Both said they were too busy hurrying to work to stop when the anthem was played.

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The army, however, though recently doubled in effective force in consequence of the Mexican imbroglio, was but a nucleus of the land force necessary to enable America to take a part in the struggle at all proportioned to our population and our resources.

The War Department was expected by the nation and by the allies to organize, train, equip and maintain in the field an army reckoned in millions, to accomplish the task in the shortest possible time, and to remove these millions from productive industry without lessening the outflow of food, munitions and supplies which is as indispensable to the allies as armed assistance itself.

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The selective draft arrangement by which this great army has been created is of itself an achievement of which American citizens should be proud. Under it a registration of 10,000,000 men between the ages of twenty and thirty-one was completed within three weeks after the enactment of the registration law upon the 18th of May. To select the fit recruits from this registration 4,643 local boards and 156 district boards were organized, by which bodies 1,500,000 registrants had been examined and 180,000 of them selected and ready for dispatch to the camps before September 1, 1918.

Since that time the men registered have been carefully sorted out with reference to the individual and domestic circumstances of each, with regard to their availability for military service as compared with their importance to the industrial, agricultural and domestic needs of the nation, and a central classified file has been prepared at Washington, which will be of the greatest value both in determining who should be sent into the trenches and who would be more useful at home in industrial occupations, and also in enabling the army officers to choose without delay fit men for particular classes of military service.

In order to provide officers for the new army, sixteen training camps have been established, in which two successive sets of officers have already been trained and a third set is now under training. For the first set of officers' commissions there were 40,203 candidates, of whom 27,341 were successfully graduated by the training camps. In the second series the number of candidates was 23,000, and the number of those successful 17,237. The number still under training in the third series is 18,000.

Meanwhile the Engineering Corps of the army, which in April of last year numbered all told 4,125 officers and men, has been raised to a total of 120,000. The first detachment of this corps, 1,100 men strong, reached France three months after war was declared and entered into active service at once. The detachments abroad have been provided with all needed equipment, to a total of 24,000 tons, all of which was en route two weeks after the orders were received. In order to store and handle this equipment and the further supplies that will be required, engineer depots with a total of 700,000 feet of floor space have been provided, including yards, docks, tracks, trucks and cranes, at a total outlay of $240,000,000, expended or obligated under contract.

The Ordnance Department has been obliged to expand its personnel from 97 officers, who were expending about $14,000,000 a year in Government arsenals, to 5,000 officers, handling about 60 times that annual amount, and charged with overseeing the production of about 1,400 private manufacturing establishments in addition to the increased output of the eleven Government arsenals.

The department has also provided storage facilities of some 5,000,000 square feet, all of it protected by electrically charged wire barriers and under vigilant guard. In securing the 100,000 or more separate articles required for the ordnance supply it has been necessary to create new industries and design both new weapons and new tools and appliances for making them.

It has also been necessary to provide two monster powder plants, which are nearly completed, at a cost of $45,000,000.

The department has so far manufactured for the army's use 1,400,000 rifles and has brought the rate of manufacture up to 45,000 weekly. It has delivered 17,000 machine guns and has raised the rate of their manufacture from 1,500 a month to 225,000 a year. It has also purchased for the army 23,000,000 hand grenades, 725,000 automatic pistols, 250,000 revolvers, 23,000,000 heavy projectiles, 427,246,000 pounds of explosives, 240,000 machine guns and 2,484,000 rifles.

In all these preparations the Ordnance Department has wisely and steadfastly resisted the pressure of profiteering munition makers to be allowed to supply the types of weapons, ammunition and machinery that their factories were equipped to make, whether or not such equipment as they were prepared to furnish would in the long run secure the maximum of efficiency for our army in the field.

The department, realizing that much time must elapse before millions of raw recruits could be made ready to meet the veteran Prussian forces on equal terms, decided to use a part of the interval in securing the best rifles, the best machine guns, the best motors for aeroplanes and transport service, and, having secured the best in all these lines that American inventive genius and engineering skill could devise, to standardize their parts, and the tools and machinery needed to make them, so that when the American drive is once fairly started the best weapons possible will be in our army's hands, and weapons and ammunition in the enormous quantities required in modern warfare will be turned out as fast as they are needed.

Accordingly, the Browning machine gun was perfected, a wonderful weapon which on its trial test fired 20,000 shots in forty-eight minutes without over-heating or injury of any kind to the mechanism; a standardized rifle combining all the best qualities of the various types in use was devised; and, best of all, the Liberty motor was evolved, a simplified and powerful engine which can not only be produced in adequate quantities to outfit our aviators as rapidly as they can be trained, but one which will also make repairs and replacements easy, and dispense with a large part of the army of mechanicians—forty-seven to each aviator—that have been required to keep in order the seventy or more types of motors heretofore used by the allies.

The Ordnance Department has not failed to realize that in many respects the Air Service is the most vital problem of all; and, while the number of aviators in training has been multiplied a hundredfold, until the total of flights in aviation training schools now exceeds 100,000 miles a day, the supply of aeroplanes for training has been kept up and meanwhile the facilities for providing the planes which will be needed in actual service have been correspondingly enlarged. Twenty large concerns have been aided to equip themselves for the manufacture of planes, fifteen other plants equipped to make the engines, and four hundred different factories have been started in the production of aeroplane accessories and supplies, so that the monthly rate of production of finished planes has already been multiplied sixtyfold.

To provide the various materials needed, all the spruce in the Northwest has been commandeered and an army of lumbermen set at work to get it to the mills; factories to produce the "dope" used to surface the planes have been built; a cotton substitute has been devised for the linen fabric no longer obtainable; and it has been necessary to plant 70,000 acres in castor beans to supply lubricating oil for the engines.

While all these things have been done to make the army effective abroad, the tremendous cost of its equipment has been minimized by a central purchasing control system, which saved the Treasury over $100,000 in the single month of January, and in February saved $34,740 in the purchase of the one article of potatoes alone.

The personnel of the medical staff has been raised from 8,000 to 106,000, the number of army nurses from 375 to 7,000, the Ambulance Corps developed from nothing to 6,000, the army hospitals increased from seven to sixty-three, hospital beds in the United States increased from 5,000 to 58,400, and hospital beds abroad provided in numbers up to 25 per cent. of the expeditionary force, while the sanitary precautions and medical attendance have been so complete and efficient that the death rate from disease in the army has been kept down to less than seven in the thousand, even lower than the rate among civilians between the corresponding ages of twenty and thirty-nine.

Even the bitterest Republican critics of Secretary of War Baker reluctantly admit his diligence and his good intentions. Impartial observers at home and abroad will not fail to recognize also his genius for organization and his remarkable faculty of selecting able subordinates, and must certainly consider his own selection by President Wilson a most fortunate thing for the nation and for the hopes of democracy the world over, now so tensely centred upon the American Army as the deciding factor in the deadly and doubtful struggle for liberty and a permanent peace.

Charlie Schwab on the Job

By T. E. Powers



WINIFRED BLACK SAYS

Who Knows What the Well-to-Do Man's Secret Farm Meant to Him? Evidently Very Much

By Winifred Black

THE well-to-do man is dead, and he left a much larger fortune than any one thought he had. Money and stocks, and bonds, and real estate—a farm in the country and a town house, and some lots in the downtown district.

His wife knew about the stocks and bonds and the downtown property, but she was perfectly amazed when she heard about the farm.

He bought the farm four or five years ago, it seems, and planted fruit trees and made an orchard—apples and peaches and pears, old-fashioned varieties, many of them, such as there were in his grandfather's orchard on the farm where he was born and raised.

When He Appeared

No one ever went to the old farmhouse but the man who had bought the farm. He used to come tramping up the road—so the old man who did the gardening says now—almost any time of day, about every once in so often, and he would walk in the orchard and stay in the garden a while and go through the barn and watch the hens scratching in the sand and earth, and he would pet the great dog he kept there to watch the house and barn, and then he would go and sit in the grape arbor, very still, for an hour or two and watch the shadows of the leaves dancing in the sunshine. And they would have a simple supper of eggs and bread and milk and some sort of fruit, perhaps, and then the man who bought the farm would take a little ride on his horse—and go away again, back to the city.

"Mary—Thou Knowest"

There's a little graveyard in one of the fields of the old farm, or at least there started to be one there once, and there's a low grave with a simple cross on it. Nothing is written on the cross but the name "Mary"—

Below the name are carved the words, with a hand pointing upward:

"Thou knowest."

Some of the neighbors who have lived in this part of the country for a long time say that the young daughter of the old owners of the farm was buried there many, many years ago, before the family sold out and went West.

The well-to-do man had quite an impressive funeral in town. His widow wore a beautiful and very expensive dress of the heaviest crepe, and his children were in black, too, and some of the most important men in the city were pallbearers.

They buried the well-to-do man in a magnificent cemetery, and no doubt there will be a fine monument at the head of his grave.

I wonder if he wouldn't rather have been buried in the brown earth beside the little grave in the meadow that is part of the old farm he bought and never told any one anything about it.

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MRS. WOODROW SAYS

Superfluous Old Women Are Only in Fiction—All May Be of Use in World

By Mrs. Wilson Woodrow

I WROTE one article on the subject of a letter recently published by a writer who signed herself "A Superfluous Old Lady," and I couldn't begin to say all I wanted to in the space, so I am continuing.

I don't believe there are any superfluous people in the world. We are all here for some reason and purpose and we all have some little niche to fill which would be either too large or too small for anyone else.

Must Win Respect

This writer stated among other things that there are hundreds of thousands of old ladies who are "treated as if they were scarcely possessed of human intelligence, boosed and patronized by their up-to-date daughters and sons until they cannot call their souls their own."

I am not attempting to advise older women than myself as to the manner in which they should rule their lives. That would be an impertinence on my part. I am only combating the attitude which this writer takes.

A year or two ago I made the acquaintance of a mother and daughter who were spending a month or two away from home. The daughter was enjoying all the gayeties and amusements of the place, but the mother spent most of her time in her room, where she sewed and mended and pressed with an electric iron the daughter's noticeably pretty frocks. "I want my little girl to have a good time while she is young," she would say as an excuse for her own seclusion. It never seemed to enter her head that she was limiting enjoyment to just one period of life.

It was always on the tip of my tongue to ask, "And why can your daughter not have a good time when she is old? It is charming to see her so prettily dressed, but if that is her pleasure and she can afford it, why should she not pay the price herself instead of leaving you to do it.

Enlisted Now

She was already enlisting in the army of superfluous old persons, for she was daily, hourly extinguishing her own individuality.

I wonder what she is doing today when the world is calling so loudly for any one who can knit or sew or make bandages. I hope with all my heart that she is actively engaged in the Red Cross work of her own town and is leaving daughter to keep her own clothes in a state of immaculate order; it would be a most salutary experience for both of them.

The present time is certainly the psychological moment for all of the old ladies who may have formerly considered themselves superfluous.

A Ballade of Bonds

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

YANKEES! Americans all!
Let not the flame flicker low!
Hark to Columbia's call—
Hark to the bugles that blow!
Look where a monarch you know
Leers on his tottering throne.
Carry the fight to the foe!
Carry the Liberty Loan!

Buy the big Bonds and the small!
Why are you timid and slow?
Boys with their backs to the wall
Fight where the death-currents flow!
Into the whirlwind they go
Smiling in slaughter's grim zone!
Carry the fight to the foe!
Carry the Liberty Loan!

History writes no faint scrawl.
History's pages will glow
With the bright tale of the fall
Of kings and their trappings of woe.
History's pages will show
That which we will to be shown.
Carry the fight to the foe!
Carry the Liberty Loan!

Yankees! Americans! Ho!
Hark when the bugle is blown!
Carry the fight to the foe!
CARRY THE LIBERTY LOAN!